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TRUSTEES DAY TO BE HELD HERE JULY 20

STATE SUPERINTENDENT S. M. N. MARRS WILL BE PRINCIPAL SPEAKER

A meeting of the school trustees of Milam County is to be held at the City Park in Cameron, at 10:00 o'clock Wednesday, July 20th. All trustees in common schools and independent school districts are urged to be present.

Lunch will be served at 12:00 o'clock to the trustees and their wives.

State Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs will be present at 2 p. m., and will discuss legislation enacted by the Fortieth Legislature.

Mr. W. A. Morrison, chairman of the County Board of Education will preside and will address the meeting at 10:30 a. m.

Talks touching school problems of this county will be discussed by Supt. Thos. A. Fisher of Cameron and Mrs. Kathryn K. Robbins, County Superintendent of schools.

Teachers Examinations Aug. 12 & 13

All persons wishing to take the teachers examination in August will please observe that the examinations will be held on August 12 and 13th and not on the first Friday and Saturday in the month. All teachers must file their names with the County Superintendent before the 20th of July, in case they wish to be included in this examination.

Teachers' Institute Meeting

A Teachers' Faculty Meeting for two days only will convene in Cameron at or about the opening of the greater number of schools. Teachers will draw pay for the time and attendance will be obligatory.

No changes have been made in text book adoptions. The same series of books will be used for next session as for last year.

Cameron and Bedias Split Series There

The Cameron Comets split a two game series with the Bedias club last Monday and Tuesday in that city, losing the first game 6 to 2, but coming back on the following day with strong stickwork to pound out a 15 to 6 victory. The first game was featured by the pitching of Tadlock for Bedias. He let the hard hitting Comets down with three lone hits, one of which was of the scratch variety. Those who witnessed the game declare that Tadlock, who is a lefthander, brings back memories of the great Lefty Thomas, who was a tower of pitching strength on the Cameron Comets several seasons back. The hitting of Jenness and Green marked the second game. The former hit two home runs, while the latter connected for four safe blows in as many times at bat. Baggett scored three of the Comets' runs and likewise distinguished himself in the field. The same clubs meet here in a two game series Saturday and Sunday. Cameron fans will have an opportunity to witness two fast semi-pro ball games and will do well to see the famous Tadlock in action.

WALDEN'S BUSINESS COLELGE TO HAVE EXERCISES

Plans are being formulated for a delightful evening, at the close of the term the latter part of August when a large number of pupils will receive their diplomas.

The Rockdale class will join the Cameron class in making the closing of Walden's school an occasion long to be remembered.

The diplomas will be delivered and the reception to pupils and friends will be held in the large hall occupied by the school here.

BAND CONCERT

The following program was rendered by the Pioneer Concert band Wednesday night:

Indian State Band	Farrar
Zacatecas March	Codina
Lillies of the Valley	Weidt
Buzzard Rag	Brown
Sincerity Overture	Barnard
Frolics of Spring	Parma
The Indian Trail	Lameter
Fort Washington March	Schumann

Seeing A Bit of Texas With the Editor

"Well, here we are!" That's what Captain Lindbergh said when he taxied up the field at Le Bourget in Paris. The lone eagle of the Atlantic made a non stop but we could not do as well. Our journey into this wonderful country was begun at Dallas on July 4th. After seeing the Cats and Steers fight it out at Dallas we went over to the Panther City owned by Jake Otz and Amon Carter.

Fort Worth has made less progress than Dallas or any of the larger Texas cities. It still has the color and drab of the cow town it was years ago when the barons from the plains drove their herds from the plainsdrove their their herds up to the railroad. One almost expects to see hitching racks along the streets.

"Where the West begins" they say in Fort Worth but where it ends is a great quest and it seems after four days on the bleaching, sun baked wastes and through mountain ranges it should end here in El Paso but onward over the trails a thousand miles or more stretches the great empire of gold and glamor. From the desert country one approaches this beautiful city from the southeast finding a vast area of garden spots along the Rio Grande where farming is extensive and fruits are grown. From the vast spaces behind we came with pleasing experience to this wonderful valley 3709 feet above the sea. Although this altitude is fine, it is pretty warm in El Paso Friday morning.

From Fort Worth we came to Weatherford where the Knights of Pythias home is located, dear to the heart of every Texas Pythian. On the Meridian Highway west the trail leads in to the colorful country with occasional sections where farming is a big industry. The first day out we took time ending at nightfall at Cisco, the metropolis of Eastland County. This journey for the day took us through the towns of Weatherford, Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto, Strawn, Ranger and Eastland. In this region oil is king although farming continues a big factor. Through the efforts of men like R. Q. Lee at Cisco that portion of the west is being fortified against the inevitable collapse of the oil industry. The low crude market has about stopped development. Cisco is called the egg basket of Texas. Here poultry is a mighty industry.

One of the finest examples of diversification yet seen on this trip outside the magic loam section along the Rio Grande was noted at Clyde, Texas, between Putnam and Baird on the T. & P. Railroad. Here one finds fruit vendors along the highway offering to the traveler a variety of fruits grown in their gardens and orchards at the roadside. The price is very cheap on account of the great volume raised. The fruits offered include apples grown in this section in abundance.

Abilene is the largest city between Fort Worth and El Paso and is the home of Mrs. Dan Moody, the wife of the governor. A new afternoon daily paper is to begin publication there by C. C. Watson and associates. Abilene has about 25,000 people and some splendid buildings including some fine hotels. One of the fine exhibits is the Legion Memorial Building erected to the memory of her soldiers in the World War. An outstanding impression of this trip is the progress that has been made in hotel construction. One sees fine hotels everywhere in this section. Cities much smaller than Cameron have hotels costing from one to three hundred thousand dollars.

From Abilene one finds the cow country and except for farming sections as noted above the stock industry is the source of all revenue, outside the oil fields. Sweetwater is a thriving western city situated in a vast farm section of Nolan County.

I have at times during this trip foreswore all criticism of Cameron water after substituting on these minerals in certain sections of the west. From Big Springs to Van Horn, a stretch of nearly 250 miles the water is hardly fit for human consumption

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OBJECTIONS TO THE TAX AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON MONDAY, AUGCST 1st

PICNIC AND BARBECUE 789 78978 HON. CLAUDE POLLARD TO DELIVER PRINCIPAL ADDRESS FOR LEGIONAIRES

Hon. Claude Pollard, Attorney General of Texas, will deliver the principal address at the free barbecue and patriotic celebration on Thursday, July 21st at Milano. This is given by Harry W. Beavers Post American Legion No. 415.

At night there will be a big dance, which will conclude the program for the day. An admission charge will be made for the dance. Other features of entertainment will be baseball, goat roping and music.

The entertainment will be on the order of an old fashioned picnic and barbecue, according to H. B. McClellen, adjutant of the post. The public is invited and preparations are being made to entertain a big crowd.

The Proposed Constitutional Amendment Relative to Taxation, Known as Bill No. 25, is as follows:-

"That article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1 A as follows:

The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for State purposes from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political sub-divisions of the State and Counties may provide for the levy of an advalorem tax, or any other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, County and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform," and fixing limitations upon taxation."

Form of Ballot Will Be As Follows

"For the amendment to article 8, inserting Section 1 A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income in whole or in part from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to article 8, inserting Section 1 A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income in whole or in part from other sources than ad valorem tax."

If you want to vote against the amendment, scratch the words "for the amendment" and leave the words "against the amendment."

Objections to the Tax Amendment To Be Voted on Monday, August 1st, 1927

The proposed tax amendment to the Texas Constitution is a drastic change in tax methods in Texas. Just to what extent the various tax paying elements will be affected cannot be guessed. The results may be serious, indeed, and no one should vote for such a drastic change without a knowledge what the result may be. The wording of the amendment is ambiguous and gives little satisfaction to one who seeks the results.

The removal of constitutional restrictions, thus removing a reasonable restraint on legislative authority in tax matters, is dangerous because this invariably encourages extravagance.

The classification of property for purposes of taxation not only causes inequalities and discriminations, but tends directly toward a prompt and substantial increase in the amount of taxes paid by tax payers of every class. The people still pay the taxes.

Each succeeding legislature would seek fresh fields for taxation. The entire round of classification would be tested out for sources of revenue. As soon as a subtantial tax burden is fixed upon one class, a search would begin for a new class capable of standing further burdens. It can readily be seen that this would cause chaos and disturbance in the industrial, agricultural and business life of Texas.

"Unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation." This expression occurred in the National Democratic platform in 1884, and has reflected a cordial principle of Government ever since. The proposed amendment if adopted will open the door for unnecessary and therefore unjust taxation.

Farmers, merchants, industries—in fact, all classes of enterprises are now taxed to the full limit of the tax payers ability. If we seek new objects to tax, eventually at the expense of the users of those objects, we are certain to induce a still higher cost of living, affecting directly and indirectly every citizen of Texas, as well as future generations.

As has already been stated, if we amend the Constitution and throw wide open the door, permitting the Legislature to be the sole judge of the objects it seeks to tax, where will it end and what will the tax be? For years we have heard the promise of reduced taxes and economy in government expenditures, but rarely have taxes ever been reduced and the cost of government has mounted to staggering figures. The adoption of the amendment will mean the same government at an increased cost.

Just now we need economy in government all down the line, and it would indeed be wise for our state and municipal governments to turn their attention and efforts to a rigid policy of economy rather than to amend the Constitution seeking new objects to tax. It would be an unwise step to amend the Constitution as proposed opening the door to an unknown entanglement of taxes. In the last analysis, this constitutional amendment should be labeled, "More taxes for the tax payers to pay and more taxes for the tax eaters to eat."

We should be careful in changing our basic law. Legislative enactment may be easily repealed, if a law proves unwise. A constitutional amendment is remedied with great difficulty.

Urge your friends and neighbors to go to the polls on Monday, August 1st, 1927 and vote against the tax amendment.

CAMERON BANKS ARE STRONG AND HEALTHY

More than two million dollars are shown to be on deposit in these banks:

Citizens National Bank
First National Bank
Texas State Bank & Trust Co.
Cameron State Bank.

The Citizens National Bank leads in deposits and total resources. The First National and Cameron State Banks and the Texas State Bank and Trust Company indicate wise management and conditions that warrant a full measure of the public confidence.

The Texas State Bank and Trust Company has justified the faith of its stockholders and the public in the wonderful progress it has made since opening.

The Citizens National Bank was established in 1900 and its statement shows a growing condition.

Cameron State Bank, one of the leading state banks in this section has progressed well and its affairs are proof of safe and sound banking.

The First National Bank, the oldest Milam County banking house, presents a fine statement and shows good progress.

A statement of these banks appear in this issue.

Chicken Thief In Jail

Residents of Hefley Heights and adjoining neighborhoods will be glad to learn of the apprehension of "Chicken Rich" Ellridge, colored, and his confinement in the county jail on a charge of stealing chickens. Sheriff Blaylock telephoned to Rockdale Saturday and had officers there arrest the negro. He was found to have twenty-seven chickens in his possession at the time of the arrest. Having taken them to Rockdale to sell them. In a confession to District Attorney Jack Lewis, Monday, the negro admitted various thefts of fowls from hen houses in the East section of town. He was driven to that district in an automobile and pointed out the various chicken roosts which he had visited recently. Many people who found their flocks to be decreasing greatly have now recovered some, if not all, of their chickens.

Fossil Remains of Turtle Fouud Here

While excavating in the Batte Gravel Pit, just across New Bridge, Frank McLerran, local contractor, unearthed the fossil remains of a mammoth prehistoric turtle. The monster's shell, all that remained, measured four feet and seven inches in length and well over three feet in width. Mr. McLerran attempted to get the fossil out intact, but the weight of a large rock above it caused the shell to break. Many fossil remains have been found in local gravel pits, but this is the first one of this type.

Swimming Pool To Be Run On Non-Profit Basis Here

Mrs. W. T. Mowdy, Mrs. Wiley Mangum and Mrs. E. M. Barnes have announced their intention to run the City Park Swimming Pool throughout the remainder of the summer on a non-profit basis. These three ladies, feeling a sympathy for the children of Cameron, have agreed to give their time and energy over to the efficient management of the swimming pool, thus offering the young and old a cool refuge from the sweltering heat of July and August. They are to be commended, for until they assumed charge it seemed that the pool was to remain dry and barren in spite of the demand among Cameron people for such a playground.

Mrs. Mowdy announces that the pool will be run on the cleanest and most sanitary basis possible. Both pool and bath houses have been given a thorough cleaning and all is in readiness for the people of Cameron and adjoining towns to enjoy a cool, refreshing plunge at any time they desire. Water will be changed twice a week, and the pool given a thorough scouring after each change. Special care will be taken to exclude persons with contagious diseases or skin troubles. Two life savers will be in constant attendance at the pool in order that mothers may send their children to the pool in perfect safety. Bathing suits can either be rented or purchased from the management. Charges for children under twelve will be fifteen cents and for the others 25 cents. The public is urged to take advantage of this opportunity and to assist the ladies in every possible way.

Farmer Short Course A. & M. July 25-30

Those interested in the Eighteenth Annual Farmers' Short Course at A. and M. College, College Station, Texas, are urged to register with the Cooperative Agent, George Banzhaf not later than July 18th. All those registering will pay $1.25 for room rent for the week. The meal ticket will be $5.00 and will be paid at the College. This short course will be held from July 25th to 30th, 1927.

Rates on the Missouri Pacific and Southern Pacific lines will be one cent per mile each way. The rates from points on all other lines will be two-thirds the regular one-way fare for the round trip. Minimum selling rate in each case to be $1.50.

Rooms in dormitories and meals at College Mess Hall may be obtained for a total of $6.25 for five days. Room reservations are to be made in advance through your County or Home Demonstration Agent.

Everything possible will be done for the convenience of those going in cars. A special location near the Athletic field has been set aside for camping purposes.

A program is being arranged that will be of interest to men, women, boys and girls. For additional information see your County Agent or Home Demonstration Agent.

The only thing in the four Gospels to which Hindus invariably take exception is the killing of the fatted calf. This is because they regard the cow as sacred.

A decree giving Mexican women equal civil rights with men has been prepared by President Calles and will be promulgated soon. Though not giving the right to vote, it will revise the civil code which at present gives women an inferior status to men.

COUNTRY CLUB HOST TO GOLFERS HERE

CAMERON COUNTRY CLUB PREPARES FOR MEET OF CENTRAL TEXAS GOLFERS

The Cameron Country Club will act as host to some seventy-five exponents of golf Thursday when the leading golfers of Central Texas gather here to match their skill against the hazards of the local course in the annual invitation tournament sponsored by the club. A visit to the grounds Wednesday afternoon found the course in excellent condition and several early arrivals making practice rounds in preparation for the more arduous ones on Thursday. Leading golfers from the following neighboring cities have announced their intention of entering the tournament: Bryan, Calvert, Marlin, Waco, Rosebud, Temple, Georgetown, Taylor and Rockdale. At least seventy-five entrants are expected and fair weather may increase the list. Dinner will be served at the club house for visiting golfers from twelve until two. The tournament will last throughout the day. At four p. m. a driving contest will be held.

The following prizes are announced:

Low Gross Score—1st, All leather lock golf bag with lock; 2nd, 1-2 dozen Silver King Golf balls; 3rd, 3 Silver King golf balls.

Low Net Score—1st, All leather lock golf bag with lock; 2nd, 1-2 dozen Silver King golf balls; 3rd, 3 Silver King golf balls.

Driving Contest—1st, Spalding spoon; 2nd, 4 Silver King golf balls; 3rd, 2 Silver King golf balls.

Blind Bogey—1st, Light golf bag.

Cameron vs. Bedias

Cameron and Bedias will play ball here next Saturday and Sunday. This is a return engagement of the two games played by these clubs in Bedias on Monday and Tuesday of this week. Each club won one game and it will be a fight for supremacy here Saturday and Sunday. The players who made the trip to Bedias say that it is worth the price of admission to see Tadlock, youthful left handed pitching ace of the Bedias club, work. In the first game at Bedias he struck out 17 Cameron batsmen. They declare him greater than Lefty Thomas of the old Cameron Comets. The games will be called at Lawless Green Athletic Field at three o'clock on these days.

Steve Gardner At Wayside Friday

The announcement that Steve Gardner and his Hokum Kings will play at Wayside Friday night will bring joy to the hearts of the dance lovers of this section. Steve and his orchestra are undoubtedly the best orchestra playing in Central Texas this season. Each engagement of this fine orchestra at Wayside brings larger crowds and Mr. Cammer is looking for a record breaking crowd Friday night. Come out where good dancers meet and enjoy yourself.

REPORT ON BACTERIAL ANALYSIS OF CAMERON WATER

July 2, 1927—Number of bacteria per cubic centimeter in river water, 2000, treated water, 76; B. Coli present, none.

July 7, 1927—Number of bacteria per cubic centimeter in treated water, 108; B. Coli present, none.

July 13, 1927—Number of bacteria per cubic centimeter in river water, 3100, in treated water 104; B. coli present, none.

Signed,
Dr. J. E. Robinson,
Temple Medical Laboratories.

These reports show good safe drinking water with no harmful bacteria.

The Tuna fish was not originally hunted for food but as a means of protecting the sardine interest of the Mediterranean, as the little fish were devoured in large quantities by the tuna.

A drug called santonin, which has the strange effect of making an individual see yellow, has been discovered by a Scottish scientist. It is prepared from the dried flower heads of European wormwood.

Unusual Record Is Accomplished By Chevrolet

A romance of the General Motors Proving Grounds at Milford, Mich., comes to light today with the announcement that Chevrolet test car No. 112 has been retired from the Proving ground service after withstanding the withering strain of 46,150 miles in four and one-half months over various types of roads and a wide range of driving conditions.

No. 112 had a standard light delivery panel body on the standard commercial car chassis and had been taken out of regular production at the Flint plant. When in the course of the usual routine, it was replaced at the proving ground by another Chevrolet, it still had in it many miles of unusual transportation, engineers declared, despite the gruelling experience of so many miles of terrific test driving.

Forty miles out of Detroit in the where the great outdoor automobile hills and vales of Livingston County laboratory is located, this Chevrolet, like others there, underwent supreme tests in the cause of improved transportation. In the course of these tests, the car was called upon to go through all the types of service an automobile may be heir to—and more.

It was kept on test for 135 days, "working" on an average of 341.8 miles a day. There were days when it was driven more than 500 miles in order to try its stamina. In addition to the test work at the proving ground the car carried mail to Detroit and return each day, permitting of a study and check of the car under actual road traffic conditions.

Engineers and technical men who drove and checked the car at the proving ground had in mind the many difficulties an automobile has to contend with in its lifetime. They thought of the driver who speeds his car over rough, rutted roads; they considered the motorist who rides his clutch; they had in mind the man who habitually tramps on his brakes, another who races a cold motor, another who asks his car to pull out of mud holes in high, and so on.

Although they realize at the same time that only a very small minority of drivers do these things today, they wanted to study the ability of the Chevrolet to withstand these abuses and to be constantly on the watch for developments that might further improve the product.

Although the proving ground boasts some fine stretches of pavement, No. 112, during the four and one-half months it was on test there, never left the gravel and dirt roads, except on its trips out of the grounds as a mail car.

Asked why, a Chevrolet engineer replied:

"Concrete makes it too easy.

The function of a recent calculation invention, consisting of 15,000 parts, is to predict high tides and low tides two years in advance for any port in the world.

The 1st baby

raised on Eagle Brand Condensed Milk is now almost seventy years old. Since 1857—the safest of all infant foods.

Borden's EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK

Find Three Women Dismembered

New York, July 10—Dismembered bodies of two more women were found here Sunday and the strange mystery of Battery Park, which began with the finding of the slim white severed legs of a girl twenty-fours earlier became threefold.

In a Brooklyn churchyard, wrapped in brown paper and tied up in a pink and white blanket, were found the hip and thigh of an elderly woman, later identified as Miss Sarah Elizabeth Brownell.

A few moments later a passer-by found, in the entrance of a motion picture theatre, a woman's breast and shoulder, an arm, and a hand from which the ring finger had been hacked.

The discoveries went on as the entire available police force of Greater New York were enabled to search for the missing parts of the woman as it became apparent there were at least three victims.

Finally, in the basement of a roominghouse, the charnel cellar where at least two of the women had been cut to pieces, was found the blood stained evidence incidental to the tragedy—saws, axes and hammers stained with the blood of the victims.

One of the two bodies partly recovered from ash barrels, alleys and doorways in Brooklyn is believed to be that of Mrs. Albert Bennett, who held a mortgage on the lodging house in which the murders were perpetrated.

Save for the severed legs found by policemen who were rounding up sleeping hoboes in the shrubbery of Battery Park before dawn Saturday, no trace of the missing parts of the first girl has been found.

Whether the woman had been murdered simultaneously could not at first be determined, but it was believed Miss Brownell was killed first and that Mrs. Bennett, who was summoned to the house by a neighbor, was killed by the murderer when she discovered the crime.

A broken water main had flooded the cellar in which were found the blood-stained implements. It was to discuss the repairing of the water main that Mrs. Bennett entered the house late Saturday afternoon.

The leg in the churchyard, the arm and breast in the movie theater and other parts of Miss Brownell's body had been tied up carefully. A pink and white bedspread and parts of a blanket were used to wrap the chunks of flesh and bone.

By nightfall the body of Miss Brownell had been assembled in the morgue, with the exception of part of the left side, but many fragments of the other body, believed to be that of Mrs. Bennett, were missing.

When the first of the parcels was found Sunday morning by a woman on her way to early mass at St. Augustine's the hip and the thigh were thought to be parts of the body of a young girl whose legs had been flung into the bushes of Battery Park.

The legs were wrapped in a pair of greasy khaki trousers, then in a laundry bag and a towel and finally in some brown wrapping paper.

Buckholts Girl Placed On Baylor Honor Roll

Included on the honor roll of Baylor College for the summer term is the name of Gladys Harris of Buckholts. To get on this honor roll, which is compiled by the Student Government Association, a girl must not have received a reprimand from the student government during the previous term and must submit her grades to the association. After these have been checked and her name placed on the roll, she is given a number of special privileges.

Your Druggist

Has many new Electrical Conveniences. Their cost is nothing as compared to their service. Let him show you the Electric Toasters, Waffle Irons and Percolators.

San Antonio Drug Co.

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ITEMS FROM OUR NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Rockdale—Mr. and Mrs. Vanmeter and son Elbert, spent the week with relatives in Dallas. They were accompanied to Rockdale by Mrs. E. F. Ousley, and granddaughter, Bettie Brewer, who had been visiting in Dallas.

Rockdale—Miss Elizabeth Smith left recently for New Hampshire where she will attend an all summer camp. She was met in New York by Mrs. A. S. Whitehurst and Miss Annie Laurie Whitehurst, former Rockdalians.

Thorndale—Charley Williams, 57, died at his home at Mart. His body was sent here fur burial in the Conoley Cemetery, five miles south of Thorndale. Mr. Williams was Deputy Sheriff here about seventeen years ago.

Thorndale—Mrs. O. A. Williams, 71, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Bonds, south of Thorndale and was buried in the Thorndale Cemetery. She is survived by four sons and two daughters and her husband, O. A. Williamson.

MILLIONS TO LEND

On Texas Farm Lands at 5 per cent interest

By the Federal Land Bank of Houston, Texas.

See W. G. GILLIS, Secretary, Cameron National Farm Loan Association.

Cameron, Texas.

SPECIALIZING

Yesterday our forefathers manufactured their own necessities as best they could. Today specialists make these same things better and more economically.

Buy Life Insurance from a specialist. You'll get what you want and need, and it will cost you less in the long run.

S. E. Brogdon

Ten years with the Southwestern Life
Eight Years in Cameron

City Loans--

For a number of years I have been seeking connections with some reliable concern that had ample funds to loan on Cameron City property, at a reasonable low rate of interest, and upon long terms suitable to borrower to repay.

I am glad to state that I have these funds to loan on well improved business or resident property, with option to repay monthly or annually.

Loans are made to take up outstanding liens or straight loans, where homestead rights are not involved. 50 per cent of the appraised value is loaned to applicant.

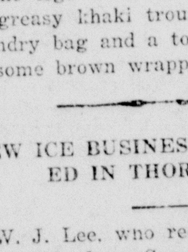
If you have existing liens outstanding and desire longer time, call and see Wm. R. Rogers, Cameron, Texas, phone 364.

NEW ICE BUSINESS ESTABLISHED IN THORNDALE

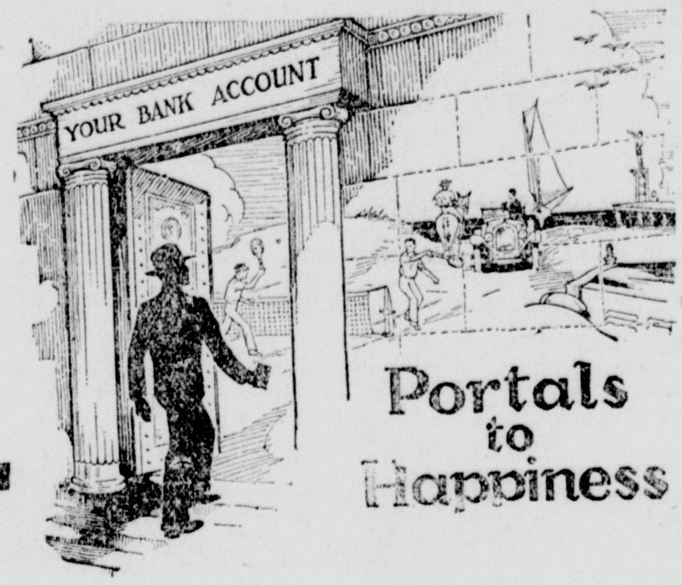
W. J. Lee, who recently moved to Thorndale from San Gabriel is planning to establish a retail ice business in a building to be erected on the Rivers lot formerly occupied by the Scales Sweet Shop which was destroyed by fire the first of the year. A large vault will be built in and Mr. Lee plans to handle ice in large quantities and make deliveries to the residents of town. He began business on Monday of this week, selling ice from a small ice box located on the sidewalk on the Rivers lot. The new low price of ice is 50c per hundred, which he established upon opening Monday was a welcome bit of news to many ice users. J. J. Elliott, the old established dealer here, began selling ice at 50c Monday morning also.—Thorndale Champion.

Girls, Provide a Foundation for Your Future Health

Port Arthur, Texas.—"When I was a girl my health got very poor. My stomach was weak and I became melancholy. Someone advised my father to give me Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and the 'Favorite Prescription.' He got three bottles of each, and I took them alternately, and before the six bottles were gone I was feeling and looking like a different girl. I have enjoyed fairly good health ever since."—Mrs. J. F. Taylor, 520 New Orleans Ave.



Dr. Pierce's Famous Family remedies are sold at all drug stores, in tablets, 65 cts., or liquid, Large Bottles $1.35.



Portals to Happiness

In fancy each one of us passes through the doorway to scenes of pleasure and lasting security for ourselves and those we love. For happiness demands safety—not merely the fun of the moment.

You can be happy without being rich—but today security calls for some money in bank as a reserve. The pleasures that help make living worth while come easier if they can be paid for without straining the pocketbook to the breaking point.

An account here will help you to open the "Portals to Happiness" in real life

CONDENSED STATEMENT

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

CAMERON, TEXAS

A United States Depository

As Made June 30,1927, to the U. S. Government

RESOURCES

Loans		$688,331.79
Stocks, County and State Warrants		9,200.00
U. S. Bonds		100,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bonds Deposited		42,250.00
Milam County Bonds		5,000.00
Stock—Federal Reserve Bank		6,750.00
Bank Building, Furniture and Fixtures		6,000.00
Other Real Estate		11,698.46
U. S. Bonds	$ 50,350.00	
Bills of Exchange (Cotton)	17,770.70	
Cash and Exchange	333,266.85	
CASH AVAILABLE ON DEMAND		401,387.58
Total Resources		$1,270,617.80

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits		129,213.34
Circulation		100,000.00
Customers' Bonds deposited		42,250.00
U. S. Government Deposits	40,451.25	
Other Deposits	858,703.21	
TOTAL DEPOSITS		899,154.46
Total Liabilities		$1,270,617.80

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Oxsheer Smith, President
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Phillip Reid, Assistant Cashier
Dr. D. E. Monroe
Rush A. Thomas
Vernon Roberts, Assistant Cashier

4 Per Cent on Savings Payable Semi-Annually

Citizens National Bank

Cameron, Texas

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

(From The Messenger)

SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE

On next Sunday night Miss Sallie Coleman will give a reading, which will take the place of the regular Sunday evening sermon. This reading is by Van Dyke and the title of it is "The Mansion."

We extend a cordial invitation to every one to be in this service and enjoy this splendid reading. It has in it the very essence of the gospel message, and it is beautifully worded by Mr. Van Dyke. Miss Coleman renders it in an excellent way, and we are assured of a good program with a good message next Sunday night.

In addition to the reading rendered, the choir will have some special music along this line, and you are cordially invited to come and enjoy this hour with us.

A NEW PROGRAM

In order to have a proper distribution of time for the Sunday School hour, and to make the unified service more attractive and helpful the school voted to adopt the following schedule:

9:45-10:00—Opening worship in each department.

10:00-10:05—Individual reports.

10:05-10:40—Lesson period.

10:40-10:45—Assemble.

10:45-11:00—Unified service.

A program committee has been appointed to arrange an attractive program for each Sunday. It is planned to let each department be responsible for a program until the entire Sunday School has served on the program. Co-operation from each department and organized class is necessary. We must build up our attendance and standard.

WHAT A GOOD SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER WILL DO

HE WILL:

1. Put his church and Christ first

2. Come before his pupils with a prepared lesson. A teacher need not to prepare the lesson properly." They say to his class. "I have not had time will soon find it out. Ignorance is self explanitory.

3. Keep in close touch with his pupils, understand them, encourage, inspire and lead them; visit them if absent.

4. Seek to enlist new members for his class.

5. Build up the standard of his class.

6. Take all study courses offered for his advancement. His pupils expect it. The church needs trained teachers. Christ demands it.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TRAINING SCHOOL

We are looking forward to great training school for the Sunday School in August. It is probable that all departmental books will be taught. Let every teacher and officer who has not the diploma or departmental seal plan to take a book.

"Every teacher and every officer trained."

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

According to the request of the Executive Board, Brother Strickland was invited to preach in our church last Sunday night. He came and brought a splendid message, and on Monday morning the Board was called together to consider Brother Strickland as Missionary. It was agreed by almost every one present that Brother Strickland is a very able and a capable man, but the price that was required to get him was out of the reach of this Association. The question of associational missionary is continued with the same committee, and the prospects are that there will not be any missionary elected now until the association meets.

It is useless to go on month by month, going deeper and deeper in debt, and when the association decides to pay, then we can intelligently look for a man to do the work. But as long as we are as deep in debt as we are, and the churches not paying, we are losing time by inviting men to come here to talk to them about mission work.

OUR QUARTERLY REPORTS

Following you will find two quarterly reports, rendered by Mr. Black, ending the first quarter and the second quarter.

It will be well for you to compare these reports and notice how nearly they are running together. It is quite gratifying to see the church find its rightful place in the lives of its people. Seventy one per cent contributed, and you will notice on every hand the people are hollering 'hard times.' But they are still spending money for the things they want. It is fine to notice here in Cameron the people want a church, and they contributed almost as much the second quarter as they did the first quarter, less than $100.00 difference.

We hope that you will be faithful to your Sunday School through these hot summer months. Let us keep the average up.

QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT

January and March, Inclusive
Conquest Campaign

Total pledged to Conquest Campaign $1,498.20
Amount Collected $756.70
Amount to be collected $741.50

Local and Denominational Budget Collections

Sunday School collections—January $71.60; Feb., $56.53; March $52.99; Totals, $181.13.

For Orphans Home—Jan., $1.74; Feb., $1.26; March, 40c; Total, $3.40.

Collected from Mexican Church—January, $5.00; Feb., $5.00; March, $2.00; Totals, $12.00.

Incidental Collections—Jan., $25.46; Feb., $21.74; March, $16.83; Totals, $64.03.

Collected on Pledges—Jan., $1,071.31; Feb., $810.84; March, $983.58; Totals, $2,865.73.

Interest—Feb., $63.30.

Total Collections—Jan., $1,175.12; Feb., $958.67; March, $1,055.80; Totals, $3,189.59.

Number pledging a definite amount, 383. Number paid nothing on pledge, 42. Per cent of membership pledging, 71 plus. Number giving no definite amount, 18. Total contributors, 359.

Respectfully submitted,
H. P. BLACK.

April and June, Inclusive
Conquest Campaign

Collected on Conquest Campaign, last report, $756.70. Collected on Conquest Campaign, this report, $17.50. Total collected, $774.20.

Local and Denominational Budget Collections

Sunday School collection—April, $189.35; May, $71.70; June, $55.22; Totals, $316.27.

Orphans Home collection—April, 60c; May, $3.95; June, $1.10; Totals, $5.65.

Collected from Mexican church—April, $2.00; June $2.00; Totals, $4.00.

Incidental Collection—April, $20.39; May, $20.72; June $32.94; Totals, $74.05.

Collected on Pledges, April, $816.27; May $973.58; June, $669.38; Totals, $2,459.23.

Collected on Revival—June, $292.79; Total, $292.79.

Collected on Annex—May, $4.50; Totals, $4.50.

Collected for Rock Springs Church—May, $17.74; Totals, $17.74.

Total collections—April, $1,028.61; May, $1,092.19; June, $1,053.43; Totals, 3,174.23.

Number pledging a definite amount, 383. Number paid nothing to pledge, 32. Per cent of members pledging, 71 plus. Number giving no definite amount, 18. Total contributors, 359.

Respectfully submitted,
H. P. BLACK.

DUTY CALLS

"Stand up, stand up for Jesus. Ye soldiers of the cross. Life high His royal banner. It must not suffer loss.'

How many of our church members are letting the banner of Prince Emanuel trail in the dust. Honor demands that this banner be held aloft and honored. How many of our church members have the uniform but not carrying a gun. Enlisted but not fighting while others are fighting fighting manfully onward, winning against great odds. If all of our church members who are prepared to serve the Master, or who would prepare to do so, would engage in battle for the church and right, all enemies of the church would soon be put to flight. This is not a time for "Marching as to war", it is a time for battle. The church needs you. Volunteer your service.

"In the warefare that is raging,
For the truth and for the right.
When the conflict fierce is raging
With the powers of the night.
God needs people brave and true,
May He then depend on you?"

"If any man would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me."

R. L. Batte, Jr., of Cameron moved his family to Thorndale the first of the week to make his home with us. Mr. Batte, who is financially interested in the Thorndale Oil Mill, will devote his time and attention to the interest of the business. They are domiciled in the Henry Heintze residence on the west side.—Thorndale Champion.

Scientists' observations indicate that in 1922 the sun radiated 4 per cent less heat than normally, and that since then it has not been up to par. There is no danger of sol burning out yet, however, as the life of a star such as the sun is estimated to be 30,000,000,000,000 years, and the sun is still comparatively young.

JUST A FEW SMILES

THE TRUTH IN DISGUISE

Smith was feeling very worried after a fortnight's visit to London in company with some of his old bachelor friends. His wife was anxious about him and persuaded him to consult a doctor. The latter, after examining his patient, diagnosed his complaint and prescribed for it.

"The wife will want to know what I am suffering from," the patient said as the doctor showed him out.

"Oh, tell her it's syncopation," was the reply.

On his return home Smith repeated to her what the doctor had said. She did not know what the word meant, so she looked it up in a dictionery and read, "Syncopation—an uneven movement from bar to bar."

Mr. Sniff—"Say pahson, if de gospel am free den huccum yo is allus yellen' fo' money so?"

Pahson Jones—"De gospel am free, deacon, an' so am wattah, but yo' gotta pay' fo' de bucket yo' totes it in."

Sweet Young Thing—"Which do you consider the most interesting time of a woman's life?"

The Brute—"Oh, the first four years she's 20, I should say.'—Passing Show.

"We shape ourselves with joy ir fear
Of which the coming life is made;
And fill our future's atmosphere
With sunshine or with shade.
The tissue of the life to be
We weave with colors all our own;
And in the field of destiny
We reap what we have sown."

Mr. Meane—I have nothing but praise for the new minister.

Brown—So I noticed when the plate went around—Selected.

Customer—You have placed all the large berries on top.

Fruit Peddler—Yes, lady. That saves you the trouble of hunting thru the box for them.

"You have only two or three buildings in this new town of yours."

"I know," responded the enthusiastic realtor, "but look at the parking space."

Habits gather by unseen degrees, as brooks make rivers, rivers rivers run to the seas.—Dryden.

You can't keep a guy from hanging himself if he does it with his own free will and a cord.

Mother (to noisy Robert)—"Why can't you be a good boy?"

Robert—"I'll be good for a nickel."

Ma—"You ought to be ashamed of yourself. You'll be good for nothing, like your father."

Motorist—"Yes, I think I can beat the train to the crossing, but I wish you were up in front with me."

Nervous Passenger—"W-w-Why?"

Motorist—"The last time I tried it I lost my back seat."

He—"Here comes a friend of mine. He's a human dynamo."

She—"Really?"

He—"Yes, everything he has on is charged."

Two student s on a train were telling about their ability to see and hear. The one says: "Do you see that barn over there on the horizon?"

"Yes.'

"Can you see that fly walking around on the roof of that barn?"

"No; but I can hear the shingles crack when he steps on them."

Trouble with present day marriage crops is that they are too divorcified. —Wall Street Journal.

How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsillitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv)

WELL PATRONIZED BAR, RUN BY BOY, 11, IS FOUND BY SHERIFF

Center, July 11.—The spectacle of a bright-eyed intelligent boy of only 11 years old, doing striving business as a bootlegger, was presented here when sheriff Harry Burns, investigating the sources of an unusual number of drunks and near drunks on the streets, found the lad selling 'choc' beer to all comers for a price of 25 cents per bottle.

The news of the new bootlegger had found its way evidently to the ears of all the "fine drinking men" of the community, and many automobiles were traveling the road leading to the source of supply, where the little fellow was handing out the beverage and raking in the quarters.

Questioned by sheriff Burns the boy said that hi solder brother had been gathered in by prohibition officers and that he had been instructed to 'carry on' until his return. The sheriff confiscated all the beer that he found and destroyed it but did not place the little boy under arrest, getting a promise that he would go to Sunday school every Sunday and never again sell, touch or handle anything in the shape of illicit liquor.

The sheriff said that the beer was of unusual high power and extremely popular among the disciples of Bacchus.

Woodbridge, Suffolk, is the home of a unique water mill which, although nine miles inland, obtains all its power from the tides of the River Deben. Rental records show that a mill, probably this water mill, was standing on the same spot 740 years ago.

Commercial frauds cost manufacturers and wholesale firms more than one thousand dollars a minute for each business day. These frauds consist of obtaining credit on false statements of assets, of concealing assets from creditors or referees in bankruptcy, and of other misrepresentations.

It is said that Anatole France the great French writer, would go to any lengths to avoid the use of a semicolon.

FUNDS COMING IN ON NEW MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH

San Antonio, name withheld	$10.
Mr. Pomposo Rodriguez	$1.
Mr. Daniel Rodriguez	$1.
Mr. Lorenzo Villasenor	$1.
Mr. Juan Rubio	$1.50
Mr. Juan Rodriguez	$1.
Mr. C. R. Perez	$1.50
Mr. Modesto Zuniga	$1.10
	$18.10
Last report	$40.30
Total	$58.40

A savings bank in the form of a closed urn of baked clay with a slit in the top has been found in the ruins of Utica, an ancient Phoenician city on the African coast. It is believed to be at least 2,500 years old.

1 cent a mile
TO ATTEND
farmers short course

July 25th to 30th

To encourage attendance Southern Pacific Lines offer the unusual low rate of one cent per mile each direction-minimum fare $1.50-to College Station

Tickets on sale
July 22nd to 24th
Return Limit Aug. 2nd

Ask your S. P. ticket agent

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PURE ICE

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Cameron, Texas

EVERY VOTER OWES A DUTY TO VOTE ON MONDAY, AUGUST 1st, AND VOTE AGAINST THE TAXATION AMENDMENT

If you want to enter the realm of speculation and force upon a happy and contented people a tax system harsh, arbitrary and brutal in the extreme, then cast your vote in favor of the tax amendment.

On the contrary if you do not want to give to each Legislature free rein, unrestrained and without limitation, authority to arbitrarily fix and designate objects to be taxed and amount of taxes to be levied, then vote against the tax amendment.

The danger of the adoption of the tax amendment has been very ably shown by the Hon. J. E. Gilbert in an article in the Dallas News recently:

"Any proposed amendment of our fundamental law should be in plain and unambiguous language. Certainly it should not be so involved in phraseology and so doubtful in meaning as to require interpretation by the courts to advise the people what the thing means.

Those people who are to pay these local purpose taxes are not allowed to say what the tax shall be, nor for what purpose levied, nor for whose benefit.

Other classes, other objects, other purposes, other form of taxation is too indefinite, uncertain and ambiguous to be surrendered by the people, and to confer the power upon the Legislature, unbridled and unlimited.

We'd better bear the ills we have than to fly to others we know not of."

Baylor Girl Will Teach in Baylor U.

(From Baylor Bells)

Another honor has come to Baylor College through the appointment of Miss Eloise Rogers, graduate of voice in 1926, as assistant voice instructor and assistant director of the Baylor University Choral Club, for the session of 1927-28.

During the time Miss Rogers attended Baylor College she was one of the outstanding soloists with the Baylor College Choral Club and was much in demand to sing at luncheon clubs in Belton and Temple. On the 1926 tour of the Baylor Choral Club she took the role of Madame Butterfly in the costume group of songs. In her senior year she was awarded the Tyler medal for the greatest improvement in voice during the year 1925-26. She was a member of Royal Academic Literary Society.

Not only will she teach voice, but she has been asked to sing in one of the leading churches in Waco each Sunday. This is a distinct honor and a tribute to her lovely soprano voice.

During the past year she has been directing the Blue Bird Choral Club in her home town, Cameron ,and has been teaching voice there.

"The members of the Blue Bird Club regret very much to give Miss Rogers up, but are delighted at the honor that has been given their instructor. She is a social favorite and many clubs in Cameron will miss her sweet voice and pleasing personality."

Messrs. John Blackburn and Thomas Park of Baylor University were guests of Misses Irene Nash and Bernice Reese Sunday.

Miss Ella Yeager of San Gabriel accompanied by her brother, Joe, were in Cameron Friday. Miss Yeager is superintendent of hygiene in the public schools of Roswell, New Mexico. She was in governmental service during the world war and spent about two years over sea during and subsequent to the close of war.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crosswy of Sour Lake were visiting Mrs. Mary Moody last week. Mr. Crosswy is post master at Sour Lake. He is a land surveyor by profession and was former surveyor of Milam County.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beard, Virgil P. Woolley, Misses Leila Woolley, Lillian Atkinson, Mrs. K. K. Robbins and Judge Watson attended the funeral of Mr. George W. Beard Monday near Elevation.

Babies Love It

For all stomach and intestinal troubles and disturbances due to teething, there is nothing better than a safe Infants' and Children's Laxative.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP

CASHIER PUT IN VAULT BY DAYLIGHT BANDITS

Mill Creek, Okla., July 11.—Two unmasked men robbed the First National Bank of Mill Creek of about $4,000 in cash shortly after noon Monday and escaped after locking W. C. Eubank, cashier in the vault. Mill Creek is a small town in Johnson county.

Sheriff Fred Hunt of Tishomingo, immediately organized a posse and started in pursuit of the men, who escaped in an automobile.

The men drew guns after entering the bank and told Eubank they were going to take all of the money in the institution.

They then forced him into the vault and looted the tills.

Judge and Mrs. Gillis Give Entertainment

Judge and Mrs. W. G. Gillis were gracious host and hostess to a company of Judge Gillis' friends last Tuesday evening at their home in North Cameron.

There were nine tables arranged for progressive 'forty-two', and upon finding their places, the guests were daintily served with delicious grape punch by Miss Katherine Ely, niece of the hostess.

At the outset, each player was requested to keep a taliy of his score for the total number of games played, and at the conclusion, the winner of high score at each of the tables was presented with a slip of paper by Judge Gillis upon which was inscribed in "Boston English," some well known verse, proverb or conundrum, and the holder of the slip was enjoined to transulate same into every day American language. There were many and varied witty responses to the problems submitted, demonstrating the ingenuity and cleverness of both the host and the guests.

Cigars and cigarretts were passed during the evening; "coats off" was considered correct form at this hospitable and democratic home, and everyone had a thoroughly good time.

The hostess served chicken salad, olives, a fruit confection with mayonnaise dressing and mint ice tea.

Hand painted plates Special. One day only, Monday July 18th,
R. H. Johnson Jewelry Store.

Quinn Walker was in Fort Worth Saturday to see his daughter, Grace.

Mr. J. C. Hardie, farmer and stockman of Sharp was in Cameron Monday.

Miss Bernice Reese has as her guest, for this week, her former room mate of Baylor University, Miss Irene Nash of Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Eplen and their little son, Morris Eplen, left Thursday for Abilene where they will visit Mr. Eplen's aunt, Mrs. Perkins.

Miss Gladys Davis returned Monday from a delightful visit with relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and little Misses Lucille and Mary Jo Stedman of Smithville are guests of Misses Minnie and Cil Stedman.

Mesdames Brooks and Alexander and their daughters, Misses Zinn Brooks and June Eva Alexander of Temple visited friends in Cameron Sunday evening.

Sheriff L. L. Blaylock left Monday afternoon for Laredo to attend the Sheriff's Association which meets there this week.

Miss Martha Lou Hooks of Baylor University, Waco spent last week end at home with her mother, Mrs. Ella Hooks.

Sound Values!

As Hupmobile dealers, our trading policy is one of the most conservative in the industry. Thus the used cars we offer represent exceptionally sound values based on the actual condition and worth of the cars themselves. We highly endorse the following used cars now on view at our Used Car Department.

One 1924 Ford Touring. A-1 shape. New tires, new battery and new paint.

Two 1925 Ford Tourings. Reconditioned new parts and rubber where needed.

One 1924 Ford Coupe. See and drive it.

One 1924 4-Door Sedan. Another good buy.

One 1925 Essex Touring. New Duco, condition guaranteed.

Other cars cheaper—Terms if desired.

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Cameron, Texas

Corns

Lift Off—No Pain!

Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Prosperity Is Ahead!

Crop conditions in Milam County were never better than at this time. The recent rains have insured a bumper crop of corn and grain crops of all kinds as well as feed. Cotton crops are giving greater promises than at any time in recent years.

The fall harvest season on cotton will open about the middle of this month.

Mr. Business Man you are going to need some supplies for the fall business and we have prepared for your needs.? Let us have your orders early for forms of all kinds, tags and stationery.

We have the plant, the workmen, the material, the stock and the right price.

Why wait until the season opens? You should lay in your supply of printing early in order to begin the season with dispatch and efficiency.

Cotton ginners of Milam County are especially urged to consult our plant and prices for their tickets, tags and forms of all kinds.

The Cameron Herald

Health Notes

Safe Milk Supplies Make Better Health For Children

Contaminated water and dirty milk are the two chief agencies responsible for intestinal trouble among children, according to Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer, who urges mothers to use Grade A milk supplies, and to boil water given small children, unless it is obtained from a known safe supply.

"A child's second summer is usually marked with more or less intestinal trouble, this being due to the change of diet from easily digested breast milk of the mother to solid food, and to other milk that is not only harder to digest, but also often contains thousands of harmful bacteria.

"Grade A Pasteurized milk is recommended as the safest milk for baby. If Pasteurized milk is not obtainable, boil fresh milk three minutes and cool quickly. Milk should be kept on ice continuously, as heat causes bacteria to multiply at an enormous rate in a very short time. Thus milk kept off of ice, soon reaches the state where it is harmful to children drinking it.

Ask For Grade A Milk

"A mother should use extreme caution in selecting a milk supply for her small children, as upon the safeness of this supply, depends in a large measure, the health of her family. If this milk is obtained from a dairy, be sure that only those classed as Grade A are patronized.

"Every bottle of milk bought, should have the grade marked plainly upon the bottle cap, and if this mark is not there, call your Mayor or city health officer, and ask why the town's milk supply is not graded. If your town does not have the Standard Milk Ordinance, which makes the grading of milk supplies imperative, ask your city commission to pass this ordinance. Any information in regard to Standard Milk Ordinance can be obtained from the state department of health, Austin."

Rabies

Stray dogs are a menace to the life of children as well as adults, warns Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer who urges city officials to enforce laws pertaining to the pounding of stray dogs.

"A good dog is alright where he has a home and someone responsible for his welfare, but a stray mongrel, is not only a nuisance, but is also likely to become infected with rabies, carrying terror and perhaps death in his wake," Dr. Anderson stated.

Hydrophobia A Horrible Disease

"Hydrophobia is a horrible disease, and if once developed, is practically always fatal to man or beast. The statistics of the state department of health show that 5 people died in Texas during 1926 from this malady. Statistics of the Pasteur Institute, where patients are treated for rabid animal bites, show an average of 30 to 50 patients daily during the entire year.

"The germ of rabies is in the saliva of the rabid animal, and as the dog is the only rabid animal that shows much inclination to bite when suffering from the malady, naturally, it is the chief agent of the transmission of rabies. However, the germ can be transmitted by any rabid animal whose saliva gets into the blood stream of other persons or animals, through open sores, breaks in the skin or otherwise.

"If a dog bites your child, and you have no reason to think it is mad, have your physician cauterize the wound, and keep the dog locked up for observation. If the dog was suspicious in behavior, it is best to start Pasteur treatment at once.

"Beware of stray dogs."

WILL W. SMITH SELLS LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE TO MID-CONTINENT

Will W. Smith, proprietor of the Thorndale Telephone Exchange has sold the business to the Mid-Continent Telephone Company who took charge of the business on July 1 thru the general manager, Herick Johnson of Texarkana. Will W. and brother Frank Smith also sold all their exchanges, numbering about twenty or more to the Mid-Continent people, and this deal with exchanges owned by other people and firms being bought by the Mid-Continent represent an expenditure of approximately $500,000. This is the largest deal of its kind pulled off in this state in recent years.

Mr. Johnson, the general manager is an experienced telephone man, having served for a number of years as chief engineer for the Two-States Telephone Company, a position he still retains and the consolidation of the Thorndale exchange with this system indicates that the new owners will improve and expand the service to its utmost possibility.

Mr. Smith the retiring owner, will remain in charge of the business as local manager for an indefinite time. And his many loyal friends are pleased to know that he an dhis family are not to leave our town, at least right soon. In justice to the retiring owner the publishers of the Champion feel that they are voicing the mind of the people here in saying that Mr. Smith has given us the best telephone service the community has enjoyed for a number of years, and we wish all concerned continued prosperity and progress.—Thorndale Champion.

LITTLE JULIUS SNEEZER
BY BAKER
YOU LOOK AS THOUGH YOU WERE MARRIED!
DO I LOOK BATTERED UP?
IF I WAS A MAN, I'D GET MARRIED TOMORROW!
IF THAT WAS THE CASE, I'D OVERSLEEP MYSELF!
I DONT SEE WHY YOU DONT GET MARRIED!
WHAT-AN ELEVATOR BOY!
BUT-I'VE BROUGHT A GOOD MANY FAMILIES UP IN MY TIME!
BAKER

AT RISK OF LOSING HIS LIFE AGED TEXAN AVERTS TRAIN HOLDUP

Vernon, Texas, July 8.—Although covered by a revolver and ordered to derail the northbound "West Texan" fast Fort Worth and Denver passenger train, J. D. Ferguson, 74 year old tower man at the Frisco-Denver crossing here, flashed the signal, for the train to come ahead and frustrated what is believed to have been a plan to holdup and rob the train here early this morning. Ferguson was immediately attacked by three masked men, who had forced entrance to his tower, and was knocked unconscious as the engine of the train neared the tower.

The men knocked at the door of the tower this morning after the headlight of the train, which is due here at 1:45 was in sight. Mr. Ferguson said this morning. One of the men called out, addressing the tower man familiarly by his initials, "J. D." Mr. Ferguson went to the door and asked the names of the men on the outside before opening the door. As he did so, a revolver was thrust thru a window nearby, and Mr. Ferguson was forced to open the door.

Threatened With Death

"Throw the derail, or we'll kill you," one of the men said while the third stood at the door, revolver in hand.

Ferguson glanced down the track, saw the train approaching and signalled "clear track". His assailants struck him and one of them kicked him in the chest after he fell. The watchman lost consciousness. His injuries are not serious.

The tower man regained consciousness about 15 minutes later, and found that the train which he had refused to derail had left on its journey to Amarillo. Ferguson's assailants had disappeared. The aged man, although unable to use his right arm and suffering from pain in his chest, went to a nearby house for aid.

LUTHERANS MEET

Thorndale, Texas, July 8—Services honoring G. M. Schleier, La Grange; the Rev. G. Buchschacher, Wanda and the Rev. G. Birkmann, Giddings, veteran workers of Lutherism in Texas and other states, were features of the annual convention of the Texas district, Missouri Lutheran synod.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bradford and Mrs. Felitia Morgan will leave Friday morning for a ten day visit to Del Rio and Laredo.

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SANDOW LIGNITE COMPANY ERECTING MAMMOTH TANK

Contractor Y. A. Gjedde has just completed the concrete foundation work for a mammoth water tank to be erected by the Sandow Lignite Company to replace the one destroyed by fire last month. The new tank will hold 75,000 gallons of water, and is of all steel construction.

The old tank was made of weed, with wooden support beams, and although it was practically full of water when it caught fire the entire structure was completely destroyed by the flames, which are supposed to have originated from the company's locomotive.

Indicating the size of the new tank Contractor Gjedde states that it required forty cubic yards of gravel for the concrete foundations.—Rockdale Reporter.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Annie Grabein Sunday, July 3. All the children were home except one boy who lives in Memphis, Tenn., and was unable to be here. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Grabein of Cameron; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grabein; Mr. and Mrs. Max Grabein; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walther of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Davis Jenkins; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whites of Minerva. Those present besides members of the family were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ludwich of Fort Worth. A bountiful dinner was served to all, then later in the evening all went to Wayside Inn for supper and a watermelon feast to finish up the day.—Rockdale Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Love and children visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Price last week end. Grandma Richard returned home with them Tuesday for a week's visit.

NOTICE TO BANKING CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND INDIVIDUAL BANKERS IN THE CITY OF CAMERON

Sealed proposals will be received from any banking corporation, association or individual banker doing business within the city of Cameron Texas, desiring to be selected as the depository of the city funds, stating the rate per cent upon daily balances said bidder offers to pay for the privilege of being made the depository of the said city for the term specified by law.

The proposal stall state the rate per cent said banking corporation, association or individual banker will loan funds to the said city for its necessary and legitimate requirements during said term.

Proposals shall be addressed to the Secretary of the city of Cameron and opened at a regular meeting place in said city, at 4 o'clock, p. m., July 19, 1927.

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Seeing A Bit of Texas With The Editor

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and at Judkins and Pyote they are careful not to put anything except rain water in your car radiator.

The second night out found us camped at Big Spring. Here we met Frank Pool, a former Cameron man. Midland is a fine little city and growing faster than any small city we have seen on this trip.

For a hundred miles or more one sees the blue ridges of the Davis mountains before reaching the foothills and then after approaching the Alps of Texas one drives almost 200 miles on the winding highway up the slopes and in the canyons before touching the fertile territory of the Rio Grande that leads to El Paso the wonder city of Texas.

Of the several auto routes leading to El Paso we chose the Meridian road striking the ranges proper beyond Sweetwater. The mountains, although barren of vegetation, are very beautiful especially at sunset or in the early morning. The heat at midday is rather intense but at night covering is necessary for comfort. The general impression is that the mountains are of sandstone but vary in color. One finds white hills, amber, rose, purple, copper and green that catch the sunlight in a colorful varying picture of gorgeous scenery and when night falls over the hills the moon blazes the peaks with silver in a soft, enfolding beauty that grips you and holds you.

From Midland to Van Horn water is unfit for human use, and the question of supply is a problem. Tourists will do well to stop at Toolin's Camp where every modern convenience is maintained for the traveler. Along the trail from Midland before reaching Van Horn the desert towns of Odessa, Pyote, Pecos and Toya are passed. The drive through this region brings you thru a vast stretch of waste with barren mountains and bleaching valleys with no sign of life or scarce any vegetation. An occasional ranch house is seen and everywhere the vast spaces of waste and desolation, yet rich in scenic grandeur. One imagines the world is very old when seen thru the vista of these hills, the great canyons and sheer walls of rock rising like cathedral spires overlooking the unfolding amphitheatre of color.

Cactus patches and blooming dagger dot the slopes of these hills while the dry and barren aroyas stretch away through valleys that are sometimes fringed with brown chaparral bush. For scenery no section of America offers better than this section of Texas. The goal of this trip was reached at 2:45 Thursday afternoon. We find El Paso a wonderful city of which much will be said in this log of West Texas.

El Paso since its occupation by white men in 1846 after dispossessing the Mexicans is no older than Cameron but its history of course antedates the metropolis of Milam. The city is a fine, modern example of progress and I find here a type of citizenship typical of the great west. Energetic and wide awake to opportunities that seem to be unlimited. Of partial interest to East Central Texas is the agricultural progress here. The progressive thought of this section has capitalized in the advantages of the soils in the rich valleys in the mountain ranges and along the winding Rio Grande. For 500 miles or more down this historic stream one finds irrigation in its most highly developed and successful stages.

Mr. Sargent, managing editor of the El Paso Herald tells me that the average cotton production in the irrigated lands is one bale to the acre. This average is much higher than the black prairies of East Central Texas and the difference is found in milder and the difference is found in modern and scientific methods applied to all agricultural production in this section. A variety of crops is grown The alfalfa fields and the fruit and vegetables regions are wonderful. Excellent opportunities are offered home seekers. The land is slightly higher than in the Central Texas region but more productive when the irrigation facilities are considered. Some lands under special care have been made to yield five bales per acre and this exceeds the best known production at Tyler in the Dallas News contest.

Special effort is being made to advertise the advantages of El Paso as a tourist center in all parts of America. Comparative little is known of this wonderful section in Central Texas, the idea prevailing that to see the west and to enjoy the advantages of outings in the cool places one must go to Colorado or California. This is a mistaken idea for every known advantage can be found in Texas in this section and the surrounding mountain ranges.

This morning we met Judge and Mrs. Kemp and their daughter, Ruth, on their way to Colorado through New Mexico and Arizona. This Sunday night we had the pleasure of meeting Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Newton and their children, Joe, Billy, Oliver and Frank, who are spending their vacation in the Davis Mountains and came over to camp Grande and to see El Paso, the wonder city of West Texas.

El Paso is a thriving modern city of one hundred and twenty thousand people situated beyond the Davis Range of mountains and fringing the Rio Grande across from the historic city of Juarez.

Few East Texans know without visiting El Paso the great role it is playing in this rapidly developing section of West Texas. It is not an isolated border city without contact but a modern city in every sense of the term with sky scrapers, vast resources in natural advantages and commercial assets in factories and industrial plants far superior to all save one or two largest Texas cities. El Paso is fourth in population among Texas cities but first in point of interest as a recreation point.

Annually many thousands of people from all portions of America spend their summer vacations here and make their winter homes in this wonderful climate. "The sun spends the winter in El Paso" is a significant phrase used by the people here to emphasize the advantages of the climate. So this magis metropolis in the lap of the great hills in coming into her own as a mecca for the home seeker as well as the traveler and pleasure seeker.

El Paso is now the banner convention city of Texas due to the enterprising outlook of her good Chamber of Commerce and aided by the Times-Herald, El Paso's greatest newspaper and a beacon light of journalism in the West. This paper has just recently moved into a million dollar plant. A year ago the Herald and the Chamber of Commerce set a goal for a convention a month but so rapidly has the fine courtesy of this city been appreciated that now a convention a week is realized.

Of special advantage to the city and the convention program of the Chamber of Commerce are the unexcelled hotel advantages of El Paso, chief among which is the Hotel Paso Del Norte, a fine modern 300 room hotel in the heart of the downtown district offering accessibility to guests. This wonderful hotel has an excellent cusine and is managed with the thought of giving the utmost in comfort and service. It is absolutely fireproof and so constructed as to give the guest the advantage of the delightful climate and cool, invigorating days and nights of El Paso. Mr. Paul Harvey is manager and Mr Chas. B. Addison is assistant manager, both excellent in their consideration for guests. East and Central Texans visiting El Paso will find nothing better than the fine service of this hotel.

This is written in the editorial rooms of the El Paso Herald just recently installed in the new million dollar plant, mention of which I have already made in this account of the great west.

No visit to El Paso is complete without a tour of the ancient city of Juarez across the international boundary in the republic of Mexico. This historic city bears the scars of revolutionary times and is marked by the ravages of the army of the late Pancho Villa, noted military leader and revolutionary bandit. The people in Juarez and in fact all through Mexico have the greatest admiration for the genius of the late bandit who was ambushed and killed at Parral while going from his ranch home on a tour of his estate. However, among certain classes of people, especially those of catholic faith the late bandit chief is much disliked and his career as a military chieftain is viewed with despair in reviewing his career of crime in that country.

Going over the international boundry from El Paso one is subjected to close inspection by United States customs officials and Mexican custom officials as well. Purchases made in Mexico over the value of one dollar are subject to duty. Passports are no longer required on entering Mexico but residents of Juarez and of the republic are required to hold a passport before coming to the American side.

The Mexicans in Juarez, like the populace of other countries where Americans go for pleasure have been quick to realize the value of American dollars in the hands of free spenders. Juarez has many places of interest and many beautiful shops where curios and other goods prized by tourists are offered for sale. In every case prices far in excess of the real value of gods are asked. Many Jews are engaged in business in the Mexican city and not a few Americans have become identified with the commerce of the city. Juarez is the largest city on Mexican territory on the border and by reason of the populous city of El Paso and its advantages as a tourist city, Juarez is a thriving business center.

Guides, whether commissioned by the government or moved by personal interests, meet you promptly when you step from the international transit line or drive over in your own machine. They tell you in a few words of the interesting spots you should see and are not backward in saying that it will cost you fifty cents for the half hour of service as guide to the historic spots. In this way they are capitalizing the show places of the city and after making the tour of the city one feels that the "price of admission" is not at all too high.

Chief among the places of interest to me was the ancient Cathedral of Guadalupe founded in 1548 by the Indians under the religious zeal of the Franciscan Friars who first conquered and brought under the influence of civilization the vast territory that engaged the dreams of empire of ancient Spain and what is now Mexican territory. This church was opened for worship by the venerable Priest, Father Ortis, whose body lies buried in the grounds of the cathedral where some twenty years ago a red stone monument was erected to mark his place of sleep. The guides talk well and intimately of the detailed history of this ancient pile. They speak English and give you the impression that they have made an exhaustive study of the historic spots of the city.

The walk up the main thoroughfare which is named after Mexico's independence day, September 16, the same in historic significance as our own Fourth of July, takes you past the customs house. Here the guide pauses and points out with great display of historic appreciation that it was in this building back in 1910 that President Taft of the United States shook hands with President Diaz of Mexico. The tour includes the ancient Cathedral and the prison and market place. Palatial bars in many blocks of the city of 25,000 people, now places of interest to many thirsty pilgrims who have survived the Volstead Act in America, are too familiar to the people in Juarez to be counted worthy of notice and while visitors are sometimes fascinated with these fine places for drinking, you are hurried along to the Cathedral that sets on the central hill of the city

Approaching this edifice up several flights of steps that lead from the street you stop for a few minutes while guides point out the ancient slabs of stone in the yard pressed by millions of feet in the nearly three centuries they have marked the resting places of the priests. According to the guides it was the ancient custom that priests be buried in the grounds of the church. Going up the belfry one ascends on steps made of ancient hardwoods and so set into the five foot thick walls of the tower that they make a winding stair. Where these ancient logs touch ends holes were made for a large wooden peg to hold them intact. No nails are used in this structure as they were not known to builders then. In those days Indian tribes were at war with one another and the belfry was used not only to ring the ancient bell but as a lookout tower for the enemy. When the enemy was sighted the defenders of the tower gave the alarm and escaped in to the main enclosure to the rear through holes in the great walls.

The original bell first heard nearly four centuries ago, calling the plain men of the tribes to worship or defense of the tower, still hangs over the stairway and guides point out that the same rawhide throngs still hold the bell to the beam. If this be true the thongs are 379 years old and appear to be useful for many centuries to come in holding this old bell. The skill of the Indians is shown in the manufacture of these bells, three of which are hanging in the tower, two of ancient origin and one made in Boston some half century or more ago. The two ancient bells of very fine tone are still intact while the more modern bell has been cracked for years and of no use.

The large bell, weighing about 1500 pounds is made of copper, gold and silver and has such marvelous sound volume that a pin thrown against it can be heard for more than a block. It is said that this bell when struck by the clapper can be heard for ten miles or more. This bell has bullet holes in it made when Villa captured the city in 1916 as his soldiers fired on the church with steel jacket bullets. Bullet holes are to be seen in the windows and pit the walls of the building. Devout catholics dislike the bandit chieftain because of his attack on this church. In the photo galleries and in the shops pictures of the dead leader are sold. The pictures were taken shortly after the bandit's car was stopped and his body is shown riddled with bullets and partly hanging from the car. Other photos show the bandit chief after he had been placed on a bed in Parral, the unmistakable marks of bullets in numerous places about the face and body.

From the belfry of the Cathedral one is taken to the loft above the main auditorium where the ancient and highly carved mahogany logs are plainly to be seen. For works of ancient Indian are these beams are said to have no equal in the world. They have been replaced in the front of the building by pine logs where a shell from the artillery of Villa's army crashed into the building. Columns of mahogany so old they have petrified support the beams above the main auditorium. On entering the main auditorium one sees devout worshipers in varying numbers throughout the day still loyal to the church and offering their prayers before the statues of the saints in the building. Since the religious controversy in Mexico no priests are in the cathedral but the people are permitted to worship. The absence of the priests is a source of genuine sorrow to the parishioners and everywhere the belief is expressed that the leaders of the church will soon be restored to them. At present, however, the Calles government is in firm control to prevent the functions of the priesthood save for natives throughout the republic.

The church contains some wonderfully ancient statuary, most of which came from Spain and the influence of Latin art is reflected in the valued pieces. A statue of Christ made from wood by native Indians and given to the church more than 200 years ago is a masterpiece of art encased in a massive white and gold case.

From the roof of the Cathedral you are shown to the west a building on a hill about one mile away. This building was the headquarters for Villa's army and it was on this hill that twenty of the young men of the city were shot by Villa's men by the walls of the structure. This building is now maintained as a memorial to the young men who died by the bullets of Villa for their country. Juarez was captured several times by Villa. Looking across the building tops to the east are the smoke stacks of a great American brewery moved over the border when prohibition drove it from El Paso. Not far away from this plant stands, overlooking the city a statue erected to the memory of Benito Juarez, referred to as the Abraham Lincoln of Mexico. The city is named for him and so is the Premier of Italy, Benito Mussolini, named for the great man of the Mexican people, the guides tell you.

Close by the walls of the ancient cathedral is a Methodist church, built there several years ago by this great protestant denomination, now extending its work in many sections of the country.

Here in brief we will give to our readers something of the historic interest of El Paso written by Ilaine MacCallum Frank:

From Scenic Point, 4300 feet high, half way up Mt. Franklin (5200 feet) may be seen the remains of what is in all probability, the earliest habitation on this side of the river, a sheepherder's hut of about 100 years ago.

East, the entire plain was covered with tents and huts in 1916 when 50,000 National Guards were called out because of the Mexican situation after Pancho Villa's raid on Columbus, New Mexico.

Stormville is a Mexican settlement on the mesa made after the unusually heavy rains in 1897 had dissolved the adobe houses in the lower part of town. These people migrated to the highest available spot and have been there since.

From Scenic Point also may be seen the whole sweep of the El Paso Valley, up which ran the Camino Real (The King's Highway). Varying according to the whims of the Rio Grande, the highway lay sometimes a mile on this side, sometimes a mile on that, but always it converged to pass that narrow gateway, The Pass of the North, at the cement plant on the North Road.

First Play in United States

Down this valley in 1536 came the strangest procession the United States ever saw, headed by Cabeza de Vaca, the first white man to enter the southwest. Looking south six or seven miles down this valley, we see the spot where was staged the first play given in the United States. It was a "Comedia" written by Captain Farfan de los Godos and was performed before the cavaliers and ladies of Don Juan de Onate's expedition. That day ,April 1598, Don Juan had taken possession of this northern land for "himself, King Phillip II of Spain and God." This "entrada" was the first that led to permanent settlement in the United States.

Ysleta Mission

The Mission at Ysleta is rebuilt from the one founded in 1683 for the Christianized Indians who fled with the surviving Spaniards from the murderous Indians of the Upper Rio Grande in 1680. In Ysleta there are a few adobe houses probably at least 200 years old, also one pear tree about the same age.

There is an old Mission at Socorro built about 1683, as a refuge also for Christianized Indians. In the Campo-Santo (cemetery) are four covered corners, said to be built as refuges for the guards who watch the grave for a few nights after burial to keep away evil spirits.

The Salt War

San Elizario was the first civil settlement in this region and was established about 1683. The mission is of that date, and behind the Mission is the old vice-regal mansion (now Motor Inn) built for Don Juan de Castenadad at the same time. San Elizario was the scene of the bitter Salt War, which in 1877 started over the Salt Lakes, which are located a little over 100 miles east of El Paso.

Between Socorro and San Elizario are to be seen one or two very old adobe houses with "portales" (open porches).

Little Plaza, diagonally from Hotel Orndorff, a new Spanish Renaissance Hotel, was at one time the center of life in the village of Franklin, afterwards El Paso.

The Mills building, west of the Plaza, stands on the site of the first building built in what is now El Paso. The first house was built in 1827, and was the ranch home of Ponce de Leon.

The old Butterfield stage coach route, which was established in 1857 between San Antonio, Texas and San Diego, California, ran on what is now San Francisco street.

Hotel Paso del Norte stands on the site of an old adobe salon. The river ran near here fifty years ago. A ferry took people across to the old town of Paso del Norte (now Juarez).

The Mexican Quarter

South El Paso, known as Chihuahuita, is poulated almost entirely by Spanish speaking people. The famous Chamial case involved the ownership of 50 acres lying between Santa Fe bridge and the Court House. In 1853 this land was south of the Rio Grande; the river has since changed its channel. The disputed land now lies north of the river. The International Boundary Commission ruled that the dividing line was to follow the center of the channel. The decision has been given once that the change of the river does not alter the boundary line as was decided in 1853.

Near this bridge on May 4, 1598, Don Juan de Onate with hundreds of knights, ladies, common soldiers, Indians and cattle crossed the Rio Grande, to conquer the north country for Phillip II of Spain.

First American

James Magoffin was the first American to settle in this part of the country. The first Ft. Bliss was established on his ranch about one mile east of the present Magoffin home on Magoffin Avenue. The river ran here in 1850 and undermined the Fort buildings. A few buildings of the second Ft. Bliss still remain.

During the Mexican troubles, General Luis Terrazas lived here in patriarchal style. The old general was known as the "King of Chihuahua," as during the Diaz regime he owned millions and millions of acres and hundreds of thousands of cattle in the state of Chihuahua. He was said to be the largest land owner in the world, the Car of Russia not excepted.

At one time one of the Villa wives lived at 610 N. Oregon street. The story goes that she gave a reception and invited some of the ladies of El Paso, who recognized in the ropes of pearls and other jewels adorning their hostess the property of their friends in Mexico. Diaz aristocrats. Number 610 West Yandell Boulevard is the house in which Gen. Victoriano Huerta, revolutionary leader, died.

Oldest Irrigation Dam

The dam at Hart's Mill, is in all probability the oldest irrigation dam in the United States. When the first Spaniards came up to the Pass of the North, they found that the Indians had already noticed the peculiar formation of the river here and had formed a dam with rushes and stones. In these old adobe houses at Hart's Mill is the primitive machinery used by Simeon Hart some 75 years ago. This also is the site of the third Ft. Bliss. The street car runs through the parade ground. The paved road which passes the remains of the officers' quarters follows the route of the oldest highway in the United States.

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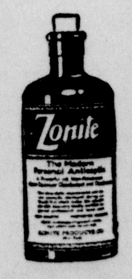

Local and Personal

Rev. Glenn Flinn of Southwestern University of Georgetown preached a most excellent sermon Sunday night at the Presbyterian church.

Ice cold watermelons for sale at W. T. Whatley's Market and Grocery.

Postal greetings from Judge and Mrs. Kemp and Miss Ruth, placed them in Juarez, Mexico last Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Cone visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Henry Thomas in Gause this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Walters are delighted over the arrival of a fine 8 pound boy at their home. This little fellow arrived Sunday at 12 o'clock, July 10, 1927, and has been named Hubert F. Walters.

Dollar Specials, One day only, Monday July 18th,
R. H. Johnson Jewelry Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adams and baby of Lampasas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Adams last week.

Trade at the Piggly Wiggly and save money. Quality goods at lowest prices.

Miss Delphya Scott left last Thursday morning on the Santa Fe for Denver, Colorado, where she will spend some time. She will also visit Colorado Springs, Manitou and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gunn of Pharr, Texas, are visiting relatives and friends in Cameron.

FOR SALE—Good dry bottom wood three cords or more, $4.50 per cord delivered and corded. 1tc
R. L. BATTE.

Mrs. K. K. Robbins, County Superintendent and member of State Board to select text books for public schools, was in Austin last week on business connected with the Board.

See Show Window Dollar Specials. One day only, Monday, July 18th,
R. H. Johnson Jewelry Store.

Mrs. George Beard of Milano was in Cameron this week.

Frank Hefley, formerly of Cameron, now living in Oklahoma, visited his brothers, Hubert and Sam Hefley this week.

Ice cold watermelons for sale at W. T. Whatley's Market and Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barmore and their little son, Billie of San Benito, arrived Monday afternoon for a visit in the J. F. Guggolz and J. L. Barmore homes.

FOR SALE—Good dry bottom wood three cords or more, $4.50 per cord delivered and corded. 1tc
R. L. BATTE.

Misses Carrie and Bess Marek are enjoying a delightful trip to Colorado. They were joined by friend from Temple.

Miss Dorothy Kidd has returned from a visit with relatives in Orange.

Two bunches of bananas given free at Piggly Wiggly next Saturday, July 16th. Call and get your free chance. Piggly Wiggly, Cameron, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Boles motored to San Antonio Saturday. Mrs. Boles remained for a short visit, before going to visit her sister in Kenedy.

FOR SALE—Good dry bottom wood three cords or more, $4.50 per cord delivered and corded. 1tc
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Mrs. Clyde Shipp and little daughter, Miss Gwayne Shipp are visiting friends in Rogers this week.

Ice cold watermelons for sale at W. T. Whatley's Market and Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer of Buckholts were visitors in Cameron Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Neinast and Miss Bonelle Neinast have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Caldwell.

Trade at the Piggly Wiggly and save money. Quality goods at lowest prices.

Nelson Green has returned from a visit to Mineral Wells.

Trade at the Piggly Wiggly and save money. Quality goods at lowest prices.

Friends of Mrs. D. L. Lindsey will be glad to know that she is reported improving at this writing.

Trade at the Piggly Wiggly and save money. Quality goods at lowest prices.

Mrs. A. N. Green left last Sunday for Christoval where she will visit the artist camp. Famous artists from various parts of the United States may be found there. Mrs. Green plans to be away until August 1st.

Ice Cold Watermelons for sale at W. T. Whatley's Market and Grocery.

W. W. Chambers left this week for Mineral Wells to spend several weeks.

Boy Scout News

Troop No. 1 had a hike to back of Wilson Ledbetter Park last Thursday night, fully equipped. Took tests in building fires and cooking. Also practiced in rope tying and a good time was had by all. Tests were held by Scout Master and Asst. Scout Master.

Regular meeting at 6:00 p. m. was very successful with nearly full attendance. A new recruit was duly initiated. Johnnie Wallace was elected Secretary and Treasury. Ben Atkinson, Asst. Captain.

The sign and emblem, Lion, was elected for Patrol No. 1 with Roy Esslinger as Patrol Leader and the sign, Eagle, was selected for Patrol No. 2. Have not selected a Patrol leader yet. A short work out by the new B. B. team on the Junior's diamond after meeting.

The troop will visit the Young Men's Bible Class next Sunday at the Methodist church. The class is sponsoring the troop.

Thurday night week we will take another hike in connection with Troop No. 2 of which Mr. Larry Hackabeil is Scout Master. The two Troops will practice in different contests and a good time is looked for.

We are gradually building up a good troop. So far most of the work has been taken inside, such as drilling, rope tying, lectures, etc., but we are now just about ready to do some real scouting by real scouts.

The boys are all very enthusiastic and take a great deal of interest in the work. Any boys who wish to join the greatest of all organizations for boys, the Boy Scouts, see me.

Joe. G. Matula, S. M.
Henry Dryer, Asst. S. M.
W R. Hoover, Chairman.

ALABAMA WOMAN TAKEN FROM BED AND FLOGGED

Florence, Ala., July 10.—While her husband and sister were forcibly held in their farm home near here, Mrs. Bertha A. Slay, 28, was taken from her bed, bound to a barrel and severely beaten by a band of masked men last Wednesday night it became known here Saturday night.

Sheriff Stutts of Colbert County, who is conducting an investigation of the affair, said Mrs. Slay told him the men "wore Klan costumes" and beat her because she would not confess to some scandal in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Slay was unable to give any further explanation of the affair. The men forced their way into the house late at night, the woman told Sheriff Stutts, forcibly detained her husband, Alvay Slay and her sister, Miss Lulu Dodson in their beds, and took her into the front yard of their home, where she was tied to a barrel.

Limbs cut from trees were used in the whipping, she said, "until the men became tired" when they took a 'strap like a fan belt from an automobile" and continued the whipping."

In the last presidential election out of sixty million men and women privileged to vote, less than thirty million placed enough value upon the right to suffrage to drop their ballots in the box. Those who failed to vote outnumbered those who voted.

The Fourth of March 1789, was the day set for the opening of our first Congress, but the inauguration of our Government was delayed until April 6—over a month—before a quorum was found and the votes counted which made Washington President.

During the recent visit of the Duke of York at Auckland, New Zealand, the Maoris presented him with eighteen carved canes.

America's dentists are said to lead the world. George III had a Yankee dentist. Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the distinguished Philadelphia dentist, treated Emperor: Napoleon III of France and sheltered the Empress Eugenie after the monarchy's fall.

An old English couple dwell undisturbed in a completely furnished rent-free house from which, twenty years ago, the owner was scared by the appearance of a 'ghost.'

In early Saxon marriages the father of the bride delivered one of her shoes to the bridegroom, who touched her head with it as a symbol of his authority. Today only the idea of luck is associated with the custom of throwing shoe sat both bride and groom.

Recent discoveries at Mount Sinia, Arabia, have brought to light new fragments of the mysterious Sinia inscriptions, which are stone carvings believed to be at least 3,000 years old.

According to the United States Treasury, the largest supply of monetary gold ever accumulated by any country in the history of the world, atotal of $4,598,782,795, was held in America vaults April 1 of this year. This is about half of all the gold in the world.

A survey made by the bureau of railway economics indicates that American consumption of fruits and vegetables is twice what it was ten years ago.

Clay tablets from ancient Babylonia and Assyria show that banking transactions, not so different from those of the present time, were carried. Checks and notes were made of clay, which was then hardened. Modern banking originated in Italy.

The demand for ostrich feathers has declined to the point where they are being used for dusters.

Hundreds of sacks of wild rice have been scattered by airplane over the marshes in the Monitoba northland to increase the food supply for ducks and muskrats.

The use of anesthetics was taught to other medical professions by dentistry. The use of nitrious oxide, laughing gas, in the extraction of teeth, was first attempted by Horace Wells in 1841.

It has been estimated that there are 20,000,000 radio listeners in this country.

Judge and Mrs. Gillis Give Entertainment

Judge and Mrs. W. G. Gillis were gracious host and hostess to a company of Judge Gillis' friends last Tuesday evening at their home in North Cameron.

There were nine tables arranged for progressive 'forty-two', and upon finding their places, the guests were daintily served with delicious grape punch by Miss Katherine Ely, niece of the hostess.

At the outset, each player was requested to keep a tally of his score for the total number of games played, and at the conclusion, the winner of high score at each of the tables was presented with a slip of paper by Judge Gillis upon which was inscribed in "Boston English," some well known verse, proverb or conundrum, and the holder of the slip was enjoined to transulate same into every day American language. There were many and varied witty responses to the problems submitted, demonstrating the ingenuity and cleverness of both the host and the guests.

Cigars and cigarretts were passed during the evening; "coats off" was considered correct form at this hospitable and democratic home, and everyone had a thoroughly good time.

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"Live-at-Home" Is Solution to the Farmer's Problems

College Station, Texas, July 12—"The often heard remark that the farmers sell their products in the cheaper market and buy in a more expensive market is again illustrated by the fact that during 47 of the past 51 years the prices of agricultural products have been lower than non-agricultural products." said F. J. Hosking, professor of accounting and statistics at the A. & M. College of Texas, in a recent radio talk on reducing the farmers' cost of living. "The reverse in price conditions was true in only 4 years of this time, 1910, 1914, 1918, and 1919. Three of these were war years when food was in great demand. Statistics show that for the past 51 years the farmers have had a very small chance of getting the best of the bargain—a chance of 4 out of 51.

"The logical starting point for live at home programs is to provide for the needs of the family on the farm. The minimum requirements for the family of five should be one milk cow, one brood sow, 25 laying hens, and an all year round garden of one-half to one acre. If these are provided and the surplus production of meat and vegetables conserved for future use by canning, the amount of food that must be purchased from the stores will be reduced to the minimum.

"Another means by which the farmers may reduce their cost of living is in intelligent purchasing. Care must be taken in buying articles not raised on the farm because this price level is higher than the one in whch the farmer receives his income. Buying articles for cash seems the logical means to eliminate cost of credit and enable purchasing by the farmers in the cheapest market. Recently collective buying by farm bureau purchasing associations has been used to meet the farmers cost of living problems. Collective purchasing eliminates the local retail merchant's profits which accrue to the farmers.

"Knowledge of the amount of income, its sources and its outgo, by a carefully planned and executed set of records with or without a budget system would suggest to each individual farmer his own financial problem and he could work out his own solution himself or with his county or district agent. Ten minutes a day or an hour a week is sufficient allotment of time to record the financial transactions of a farmers business in a farm account book as supplied by this college or any large stationery store.

"Other methods to reduce the farmers' cost of living are to kill and can the male birds of poultry flocks during the summer, to prevent fertilization of eggs; give more attention to the needs and health of the household. Bush and vine fruit production and orcharding assist in labor distribution and provide additional food for the family."

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Bright Prospects Over Southwest

Complete prosperity for Texas, provided the remainder of the growing season is favorable, is forecast by crop reports gathered by the Department of Public Relations of the Southland Life Insurance Co. Especially bright and encouraging are conditions in the Southwest and with any 'break' at all this section of Texas should be in the best condition of years when the fall rolls around.

Scattered storms during the past four weeks have done some damage but these appear to be local in nature and even West Texas which earlier in the spring appeared to be in for a bad time has improved to a surprising extent as the result of two or more good rains.

Feeling is general all over the state that there will be a good price for cotton and, if this is the case, Texas will be sitting on top of the world for, despite all predictions to the contrary a banner crop appears to be in sight. Several correspondents report indications are that there will be more high grade cotton than has been the case for the past five years.

The Southwest in general, the Rio Grande Valley and certain portions of East Texas appear to be leading in prospects but it is safe to repeat at this that the state will be one of the leaders of the nation provided weather conditions or insect infestation do not break down that possibility.

MANY DELEGATES HERE FOR LUTHERAN CONVENTION JULY 6-12, 1927

The Texas District Convention of the Missouri Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church met with the St. Paul Lutheran church in Thorndale on Wednesday morning of this week for a series of daily sessions which will run through the present week and to and including next Tuesday, July 12.

About 200 delegates are either here or to arrive during the day and a number of distinguished preachers, teachers and lecturers from northern and eastern states will also attend the convention and a general lovefeast and edifying convention is assured. Thorndale feels honored by the presence of this great number of spirit-filled men and leaders in educational affairs and Thorndale people are co-operating with the local officers of the church in every way within their power to insure the success of the convention and promote the comfort and entertainment of the visitors while they are in our little city.

The local church is getting up the data for a special Convention issue of the Champion which will be issued early next week and the local merchants and business firms are carrying liberal advertising spaces in the issue to help defray the expenses of getting out the special edition. In this edition will be given a full and complete account of the proceedings of the convention as well as valuable historical data which will be filed away for future reference by hundreds of members of the church and others.—Thorndale Champion.

With the largest world telescope, on Mt. Wilson, California, man looks trillions of miles into space. He is able to see stars separated from him by the distance light could travel in 72,000 years, on the basis that in one year light travels 5,800,000,000,000 miles. He sees that the 'dust' in the Milky Way consists of millions of suns each with its family of planets rotating around it.

Among the most nomadic people of the world are the Bakhtiyari tribes of Persia where the main and about the only source of income is herding. Nature doesn't allow the Bakhiyari to settle permanently; to escape withering heat and then to avoid the cold they are constantly journeying from the Persian gulf lowlands to the plateau highlands and back again. Their neighbors count them among the worst of the plundering hordes of the world.

What Is a Diuretic?

People Are Learning the Value of Occasional Use.

EVERYONE knows that a laxative stimulates the bowels. A diuretic performs a similar function to the kidneys. Under the strain of our modern life, our organs are apt to become sluggish and require assistance. More and more people are learning to use *Doan's Pills*, occasionally, to insure good elimination which is so essential to good health. More than 50,000 grateful users have given *Doan's* signed recommendations. Scarcely a community but has its representation. *Ask your neighbor!*

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ONE BADLY HURT WHEN CAR TURNS OVER NEAR TAYLOR

Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Arledge, accompanied by Carroll Gregory were called to Taylor about midnight Saturday night by a telephone message stating that Tilman Arledge, a nephew of Elvie's, while en route to Coupland was severely injured in a car accident. It seems that Tillman and some friends from Taylor while en route to Coupland met another car and in an effort to avoid striking the other car they turned their car too far and went into the ditch, severely injuring Mr. Arledge. The other occupants of the car were not hurt. The injured man was placed in a sanitarium at Taylor and given treatment and word from the hospital on Monday morning of this week says that the patient was not hurt as bad as he was at first thought to be and he will probably be brought to the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Arledge, in Thorndale Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday of this week.—Thorndale Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Gregory and children, one daughter and two sons, arrived from Robstown last Friday night for a visit of a couple of weeks dividing the time with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Burkhart and Mrs. Gregory's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones and relatives and friends here. Mr. Gregory is foreman of the mechanical department of the Robstown Record. He is a good printer, a fine young man and has many friends in Thorndale who are always glad to see him.—Thorndale Champion.

Carroll was at one time a resident of Cameron, having worked for each of the newspapers here. He is a good printer and also made many friends here who wish him success wherever he may go. He usually visits Cameron during his vacations and ere he returns to his duties at Robstown we predict he will drop over to Cameron.

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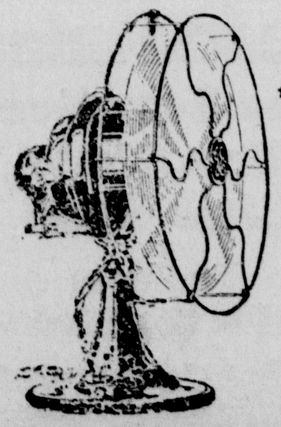

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Against the Taxation Amendment

A portion of an editorial appearing in the Dallas News of date July 10th, in opposition to the tax amendment:

"Another possibility plainly in sight is that by taking corporate-owned property, or even only that owned by public service corporations, as an object of taxation by the State exclusively, we should impoverish many of the cities and towns which derive no small part of their revenue from the taxation of such property. Still another disturbing possibility, not to say a certainty, will be disclosed by reflecting that the taxation of such property is now pledged to guarantee the payment of bonds that have been sold for public improvement purposes. Just what complications that presents may be left to the lawyers and the fiscal authorities of the counties, municipalities and improvement districts to determine. But that uncertainty, confusion and financial embarrassment would result must be manifest to every one."

"Just what redistribution of the burden of taxation would result from the adoption of such a scheme of taxation as this proposal contemplates it may not be possible to foresee. But when one considers that it would relieve Legislatures of menaces and restraints they are now under to be economical, one must feel fairly certain that the cost of Government would increase much faster in the future than it has in the past, so that, whatever the distribution, the aggregate of the burden would be made greater, with the result that the share of the individuals and interests most favored directly would probably be made heavier than it is now, while that of the individuals and interests not favored would become so great as to arrest the industrial development of the State."

Approved Method of Leaf Worm Control

There have been a great many rumors of the presence of leafworms at various points in South Texas. The entomologist of the Extension Service has investigated these and finds confirmation only at one point; namely, in Nueces County, in which section considerable damage is being done. Individual leafworms have been found also in the Waco district, but not in numbers to cause concern at the present time.

It is difficult to present any forecast regarding a general leaf worm infestation because the extension of an infestation is contingent upon various factors, including weather conditions. Precipitation for the two weeks just previous to July 6th over a great portion of the state has been favorable to their spread, and we believe that if this condition continues the worms may be present in considerable numbers as far as the Red River by the 20th of July. In case of hot, dry weather immediately ensuing, the extension of infestation may be delayed for a considerable length of time.

Enough poison appears to be stored at readily available points in or near Texas to initiate a leafworm fight, this amounting to sufficient to dust 500,000 acres at once. The best estimates furnished us are to the effect that poison sufficient to dust 700,000 acres more can be moved into our territory in about a week's time. When a demand on stocks developes the factories, will, no doubt, hurry up production so that farmers may expect to be reasonably well taken care of.

Dusting with calcium arsenate is the approved method of leafworm control, using, at the stage of growth that most of our cotton has attained at the present time, from three to five pounds per acre. Where dews are not experienced, spraying with the same material, using about two pounds to fifty gallons of water, will be the best method, keeping the mixtures well agitated during application.

As long as calcium arsenate can b obtained, we would advise against the use of Paris green, although where necessary this can be used, but in the case of dry dust the addition of at least four or five parts of hydrated lime to one part of poison should be used, and in the case of a spray at least an equal amount of the same material should be added. We advise against the use of white arsenic, mixtures of white arsenic and sal soda, or of stock dips, so long as calcium arsenate, lead arsenate of Paris green can be obtained.

Weevils are a serious menace to the cotton crop this season, and with promises for a fair price for cotton this fall we believe that farmers may expect a margin of profit in the use of dry calcium arsenate dust in the sections subject to dews, and if the land is capable of producing a half bale per acre, calcium arsenate for this purpose should be applied at intervals of about five days as long the weevils remain abundant.

As a result of the excellent crop of corn now ripening, unusual damage from the boll worm may be expected to devolop towards the end of July. Where these have attained a stage of growth that they are boring into the cotton bolls, little is to be expected in the way of control from applications of poison. Since the very small worms immediately after hatching feed upon the leaves for several days applications of poison at that time will kill considerable numbers. While it may be a question of poison can be applied with profit for the control of boll weevil and leaf worm, a degree of control of the boll worm may be expected also, which will be proportional to the number of applications made.

As the situation developes the public may expect to be advised by future press letters emanating from the Extension Service and appearing in the columns of the press. Farmers and others interested are invited to seek information also from their local county agricultural agents or from the Extension Service at College Station.

Wilson-Lankford

The following account of the marriage of Miss Myra Lankford, formerly of Cameron, was taken from the Waxahachie Daily Light, and will be read with interest by many friends.

The bride was born and reared in Cameron, and is the youngest daughter of A. M. Lankford of this city. She attended school here and for some time was employed with the Western Union Telegraph Comapny, prior to her removal to Waxahachie. She is a very charming young lady and her genial disposition and pleasing personalty accounts for her numbering her friends by her acquaintances.

Clift B. Wilson and Miss Myra Lankford, both of Waxahachie were married Saturday afternoon at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Mary Wilson on Cynisca Street. The Rev. E. S. Bledsoe performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a pretty white sport suit, with white felt hat and white shoes and hose.

The bride came to Waxahachie three years ago and is manager of the Western Union Telegraph company's local office, and is a director of the Cubs Club of Waxahchie.

The groom is the youngest son of Mrs. Mary Wilson of Waxahachie. He is a graduate of Waxahachie high school. The groom is in the U. S. post office department at Waxahachie. He is a world war veteran and takes an active part in the American Legion.

Red tape, an expression signifying official formality and delay, owes its origin to the red tape usually employed in tying up public documents.

ALABAMA WOMAN TAKEN FROM BED AND FLOGGED

Florence, Ala., July 10.—While her husband and sister were forcibly held in their farm home near here, Mrs. Bertha A. Slay, 28, was taken from her bed, bound to a barrel and severely beaten by a band of masked men last Wednesday night it became known here Saturday night.

Sheriff Stutts of Colbert County, who is conducting an investigation of the affair, said Mrs. Slay told him the men "wore Klan costumes" and beat her because she would not confess to some scandal in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Slay was unable to give any further explanation of the affair. The men forced their way into the house late at night, the woman told Sheriff Stutts, forcibly detained her husband, Alvay Slay and her sister, Miss Lulu Dodson in their beds, and took her into the front yard of their home, where she was tied to a barrel.

Limbs cut from trees were used in the whipping, she said, "until the men became tired" when they took a 'strap like a fan belt from an automobile" and continued the whipping."

Baptist W. M. S.

The W. M. U. met in circles Monday afternoon for Bible Study as follows:

Circle one with Mrs. W. B. Skelton with eight members and two visitors present.

Circle two with Mrs. Julian Sustek with ten members and three visitors present.

Circle three with six members and two visitors present.

Circle four with Mrs. Laura Williamson with five present.

Next Monday the meeting will be held at the church for Enlistment service ,directed by Mr. Hutcherson.

According to the latest estimate, every third person in the United States works for a living.

The discovery that the fiber of the cocoon spun by the silkworm could be made into cloth is ascribed to Se-Ling-She, a Chinese queen who lived about forty-seven centuries ago.

During the past 100 years the population of the world has increased from less than 1,000,000,000 to about 1,700,000,000.

Athens, Greece, is known as the 'City of the Violet Crown' in reference to the beautiful effects of sunset light on the Acropolis.

According to Pliny, Cato believed that husbands started kissing in order to determine whether their wives and daughters had been drinking wine.

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Marriage Licenses

Will Collins and Lon Bertha Lee.

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Van Simmons and Mrs. Willie Smith.

Andrew L. Miller and Alta Alice Baskin.

Clarence Allen and Clara Duncan.

Eugene Claudie Moseley and Virginia Bryant.

Jesse Wells and Doris Jackson.

John Bedrich and Olga Zapcik.

M. D. Calloway and Edith Benge.

Richard Lehman and Otelie Leschber.

John Germany and Mrs. Charlsie Springer.

Automobile Licenses

W. H. Stutts, Essex Coupe, Rockdale.

Carl Fikes, Chevrolet Roadster, Cameron.

Mrs. J. W. Raley, Ford Fordor Sedan, Rockdale.

James Clement, Ford Fordor Sedan, Thorndale.

A. H. Brown, Chevrolet Coupe, Rockdale.

P. O. Adams and Co., Ford Roadster, Cameron.

W. C. Marrs, Erskin Sedan, Rockdale.

W. H. Shipp, Chevrolet Touring, Cameron.

Carl McLeod, Chevrolet Cabralet, Franklin.

Herman Juergens, Ford Coupe, Ben Arnold.

S. H. Dobbs, Ford Coupe, Cameron.

Mrs. O. E. Moseley, Ford Coupe, Thorndale.

Frank McLerran Chevrolet Touring, Cameron.

Fred Palmer, Chevrolet, Rockdale.

Oil and Gas Leases

G. W. Manley et al to J. W. Kemp, 27 577-5645 acres out of Jose Leal grant, $1.

H. T. Coulter to Bartlett Production Co., 48 acres out of T. J. Chambers survey, $240.

Gerring Manley, et al minors, estate by guardian, to J. W. Kemp, 27 577-5645 acres out of Jose Leal grant, $1.

Juanita Stephens, et al Minors by guardian to R. L. Hale et al 204 acres out of James Reese survey, $10.

Lee Stephens et ux to R. L. Hale, et al 204 acres out of James Reese survey, $10.

R. C. Matthews et ux to W. R. Rogers, 108 acres out of J. A. DePena grant, $108.

Deed Records

Ida Cage Hause et al to Ada Cage Kennon et al 50 3-4 acres out of J. G. W. Pearson survey.

Louise Nolte to F. L. Wilson et al lot No. 9 block 41 in town of Ben Arnold, $75.

Frank Wilson et al to African Methodist church, Ben Arnold, lot 9 block 41 in town of Ben Arnold, $1.

C. H. Landis et ux to W. C. Marrs a part of Wm. Allen grant in city of Rockdale, $2242.

Mrs. Mahala Jackson to Leo F. Laake, a certain lot in city of Cameron out of D. Monroe grant, $1300.

Robert Isaac et al to Jacob Isaac 160 1-2 acres out of M. Davilla grant, $300.

Leslie L. Rasberry, lots 1 and 2 in block 3 and lots 1 and 2 in block 4 in S. J. Foster addition to town of Rockdale, $200.

D. W. Robison to Rice School House community, 4300 square varas near Sandy Creek.

J. F. Jenness et ux to Mrs. Emma Bartlett north 1-2 block Nos. 30 and 31 of Smith, Ackerman and Green addition to city of Rockdale, $500.

Ada Mauldin to Maudie Fay Coldiron, 23 acres out of James Shaw grant, $1.

Clyde Barber to A. M. Barber, lot 13 in block 4 of Washington Heights addition to city of Rockdale, $1.

H. W. Farmer et ux to Earl Hankins, 7 1-2 acres out of Jas. Lewis grant, $150.

D. E. Howe et al to Andrew Jackson et ux 81 3-4 acres out of Harrison Owens survey, $1000.

M. L. Rutherford et ux to J. O. Newton, 20 acres out of R. L. McElvy survey, $1180.

E. F. Ousley et ux to Emory Crump, a certain lot being situated in city of Rockdale and a part of Wm. Allen grant, $2500.

George W. Beard

Mr. George W. Beard, age 69, died at his residence, old Rock-house near Milano, Sunday. Deceased was born in Arkansas, but came to Milam County with his parents, Coleman C. and Louisa Stratton Beard in 1864, and continuously thereafter resided in the county, except one year spent in Ohio. Mr. Beard was a typical pioneer. His forefathers helped blaze the trail of civilization through every state from Virginia to Texas. Deceased was reared by a widowed mother; his father was a soldier of the Confederacy four years. Though his educational opportunities were poor, yet by intensive study and reading he became a well informed man and his education greatly broadened.

In 1906 he united in marriage with Miss Amanda Harrell of Calvert, and she and one son, George H. Beard, 19 years old, two brothers, Hon. C. M. Beard of Milano and Andrew Beard of the valley country, survive him.

He had been a consistent member of the Christian church fifty years. Rev. Dan Bounds of Rockdale conducted the funeral Monday and interment was observed at Sand Point Cemetery, followed by a large concourse of relatives and friends. The floral offerings were beautiful and profuse.

A survey of tea and coffee imports shows that more than 73,000,000 persons in the United States are tea and coffee drinkers. Per capita consumption to coffee for 1926 was two cups a day or 14 pounds a year, while that of tea averaged one-half cup every 24 hours, or three-fourths of a pound for 12 months.

No. 1426

Official Statement of Financial Condition of the

Texas State Bank & Trnst Co.

at Cameron, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1927, published in the Cameron Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Cameron, State of Texas on the 14th day of July, 1927.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security		$226,506.13
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon		2,886.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good		337.09
Bonds, stocks and other securities		50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		6,157.50
Cash on hand		5,689.31
Due from approved reserve agents		21,098.70
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand		5,312.95
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund		1,500.00
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund		1,668.75
Total		$321,156.43

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Undivided profits, net	4,821.58
Individual Deposits subject to check	142,667.97
Time Certificates of Deposit	78,484.27
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	182.61
Bills payable	45,000.00
Total	$321,156.43

State of Texas, County of Milam.

We, H. M. Hefley, as President, and A. K. Gurecky, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. M. HEFLEY, President.
A. K. GURECKY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, A. D. 1927.

J. K. FREEMAN,
Notary Public, Milam County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
E. VOGELSANG, JR.
S. W. McCLAREN
T. J. DENSON, Directors

JUST GAB--THAT'S ALL

THIS IS NOT A FISH STORY

Matt B. Bailey, engaged in farming near Hoyte, in talking with a representative of the Herald a few days ago, says that crop prospects out his way are very promising. Mr. Bailey is raising hogs for his meat, has several good cows, chickens and turkeys and endeavors to produce most of the necessities for his table from the domains of his farm. For many years he had expressed a desire to move to the country where he could be surrounded by growing crops, cattle and poultry and have a part in one of the most fascinating and essential industries—that of farming. He loves outdoor life; the broad, open spaces where the sun shines brighter and the songs of the birds are sweeter; where the air is purer and is ladened with fragrance of flowers and new mown hay.

Matt is a lover of nature, and when he was engaged in public work in town, he always looked forward to vacation season when he would have an opportunity to spend a few weeks fishing and hunting. Although the writer never had the pleasure of going on a fishing trip with him, we have heard him tell some big "fish stories." However he never produced the evidence. He is now telling some big "farming stories," and unlike his "fish stories," he can back them up with substantial, bona fide evidence.

MORNING EXERCISE

In some places in Cameron weeds seem to be thriving. Due to abundant rainfall this year all obnoxious vegetation has flourished and it is quite a task to keep the weeds down; most of the citizens of Cameron have ridded their premises of them, but in some places they have been neglected. It has always been the highest ambition of men folks to be fortunate to be spared the task of cutting weeds and bringing in wood. However, they should bear in mind that for real exercise there is nothing that will excel cutting weeds with a dull hoe.

"LET HIM THAT HUNGERS—"

Charlie Bishop of near Hoyte, presented a member of the Herald force with three nice watermelons and a large pail of beans the first of last week; a real treat, indeed. Charlie, we thank you. Have you plenty more melons an dbeans? Think we will pay you a visit real soon.

A MODEST HINT

J. P. Hefti of Maysfield called at The Herald office last Thursday and presented the force with a nice water melon, which was very much appreciated. The editor, being away on a vacation, did not have an opportunity to sample that delicious "boneless ham," but the hungry bunch he left behind, handled the situation very cleverly. Modesty would no doubt cause the editor to merely say "thank you," but we will slightly curb our modesty and say "call again."

SOOTHING MUSIC

The music of the cotton gins will soon be heard in Cameron. The gins have been put in first class shape for the season, near at hand, and, judging from present prospects, they will be running from early until late in order to turn out the production of Milam County cotton.

A. N. Weems has just had his gin put in first class condition, and is now ready for the ginning season.

R. L. Batte's gins are all ready for operation, having recently been improved in equipment.

Boedeker, Batte and Schiller's gin, which is a new one, is ready for operation.

All the gins of Cameron are modern in every respect, and the service they give is first class.

YOUTH SAVES FATHER'S LIFE WITH FISH LINE

Ruskin, Fla., July 10.—Ability to make an accurate 100-foot cast with an artificial bass bait enabled Horace Hollaway to rescue his father from drowning in Little Manatee River.

The rescue story was told here Sunday.

Horace and his father, Daniel Hollaway, were fishing, the youth from an island and his father from a boat anchored 100 feet off shore. The father, in attempting to raise anchor, upset the boat.

The elder Holloway lost consciousness and was in imminent danger of drowning. Horace, unable to swim, and no help nearby, made a cast with his rod and line and missed. He whipped the rod out again, the hook this time catching his father's clothing. He then drew his father to land. He soon regained consciousness.

NEW DODGE LINE REVEALS TIES OF DEALERS, MAKERS

Introducing of the new senior line of sixes has brought out new evidence of the strong tie existing between Dodge Brothers, Inc., and its dealers. An advertisement published by the Pacific Coast dealers in Western newspapers congratulated the factory on the new cars and commended its policies.

"Time has in no wise changed the original feeling of Dodge Brothers dealers toward Dodge Brothers, Inc., nor in any manner altered that original cornerstone in Dodge Brothers policy of never doing anything inimical to the best interest of its dealers or the public which they serve," the advertisement said.

It continued: "When Dodge Brothers changed from private to public ownership there were those who expected many of the traditions of Dodge Brothers to be cast aside, even started rumors that the Dodge Brothers ideals of realiability and dependability would no longer be adhered to. It is with much gratification that we dealers look back over the period of the present management. Our present line of four cylinder cars has been made better and better until today it is the finest motor car in Dodge Brothers history. An immense new factory has been built and announcement is made of a new six cylinder car—a car worthy to bear the name of Dodge Brothers. Many of us dealers have been with Dodge Brothers since the manufacture of the first Dodge Brothers motor car and never during this period has an off car been foisted on the public; never has a policy been adopted that was not for the best interests of Dodge Brothers dealers and the public whom they serve."

Charter No. 4086 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank

At Cameron in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business on June 30, 1927

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in Item 1-b)	$539,497.73	
Total loans		$539,497.73
Overdrafts, unsecured,		4,340.47
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds par value)		75,000.00
Other bonds, sotcks, securities, etc, owned		**25,701.11**
Banking House; Furniture and fixtures,		89,278.64
Real estate owned other than banking house		3,091.18
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		37,400.69
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		39,250.88
Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the U. S. (other than included in Items 8, 9, & 10)		15,991.69
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)		5,575.07
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13	$60,817.64	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		3,750.00
Total		$838,877.46

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in		$ 75,000.00
Surplus fund		75,000.00
Undivided profits		5,440.80
Circulating notes outstanding		75,000.00
Amount due to national banks		8,014.53
Amount due to state banks, bankers and trust companies		2,191.11
Certified checks outstanding		500.00
Cashier's checks outstanding		9,731.52
Total of Items 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28	$20,437.16	
Individual deposits subject to check		309,709.55
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		75,000.00
Other demand deposits		131,500.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve Items 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34	$516,209.55	
Other time deposits		1,000.00
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts)		25,000.00
Notes and bills rediscounted		45,789.95
Total		$838,877.46

State of Texas, County of Milam, ss:

I, F. B. Cable, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1927.

F. B. CABLE, Cashier.
Mary Burnett, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
S. W. CHEEVES,
C. A. MIDDLETON,
A. N. GREEN, Directors.

Official Statement of Financial Condition of the

Burlington State Bank

at Burlington, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June 1927, published in The Cameron Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Cameron State of Texas, on the 14th day of July 1927

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security		$103,492.90
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon		1,800.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good		429.03
Real Estate (banking house)		3,000.00
Other real estate		2,251.15
Furniture and fixtures		2,985.00
Cash on hand		2,081.40
Due from approved reserve agents		8,078.83
Interest in Depositor's Guaranty Fund		921.50
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund		1,443.66
Other Resources		367.52
Total		$126,850.99

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$30,000.00
Other Surplus Fund	2,500.00
Undivided profits, net	446.13
Individual Deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	46,154.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	16,546.90
Public Funds on Deposit, School	492.21
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	711.75
Bills payable, Rediscounts,	30,000.00
Total	$126,850.99

State of Texas, County of Milam,

We, T. F. Hardy, as President, and Jno. P. O'Neill, as Cashier of said bank each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. F. HARDY, President.
J. P. O'NEILL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, A. D. 1927.

B. J. MATOCHA,
Notary Public, Milam County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
T. J. O'NEILL
GEO. T. GRAVES
E. P. LESTER, Directors.

Texas Council of Safety Planning Some Good Work

Austin, Texas, July 15.—Some interesting facts have been revealed in the annual report of the Texas Council of Safety. According to the report recently submitted by Director W. E. James to the Executive Committee of the Council, the organization prepared and distributed more than 100,000 pieces of safety literature during the past twelve months. This literature consisted mainly of posters, stickers, pamphlets, booklets, circular letters, etc.

In addition to the literature distributed the Director delivered approximately 75 safety addresses at different places throughout the state. These addresses were given before civic organization meetings, churches, teachers meetings, student assemblies, and conventions of various kinds. The Council also aided in organizing several local safety councils and has held two safety conferences.

Perhaps the most effective work accomplished by the Council during the year was among the boys and girls in the public schools. Director James prepared and distributed a safety booklet to be used as a guide for teachers in presenting public safety in the schools. Thousands of children have been given practical safety training by means of these booklets.

Due to lack of help and funds, no extensive statistical work has been undertaken. However, the Council has succeeded in securing information concerning the number of accidental deaths and injuries accruing in the state each week. This information has been reported weekly to the leading daily papers since September 1, 1926.

The State Organization has aroused much interest in the safety movement and the accident situation in Texas by conducting, with the co-operation of teachers in the schools, four safety contests in which various prizes were offered for the best essay, poster, cartoon and poem prepared by pupils. Pupils entering the contest were required to make a study of the accident problem in the state and to prepare and submit an original piece of work. Several hundred boys and girls participated in these contests and the interest manifested was gratifying.

Due to unforseen difficulties, the work of the Council made little progress during the first few months of its active operation. Many of these obstacles have been overcome, however, and most satisfactory results are now being accomplished. In spite of the fact that the movement is new, the force small, and the finances limited, a real foundation has been laid and thousands have been sold on the idea of public safety.

The organization is rapidly growing in favor with the people. Its work has been heartily endorsed by leading civic clubs, the State Teachers Association, county teachers institute, West Texas Sheriffs Association, the League of Texas Municipalities, the Texas Press Association, and other important organizations.

Because of increased traffic, the situation is constantly becoming more appalling and the need for organized effort is daily growing greater. In 1926, 90,000 people in the United States were swept into eternity by means of accidents. From September 1, 1926 to March 1, 1927, a period of six months, there were 399 people killed and 1,891 injured in street and highway accidents in Texas exclusive of those at grade crossings. During the same period, there were 68 deaths and 273 injuries resulting from accidents at grade crossings alone in the state. In addition to these unspeakable tragedies, there were 496 fatalities and 965 injuries from other types of accidents in the state during the same six months period.

Surely the conditions are sufficient to justify the greatest co-operation and effort to save humanity. All worthy movements must have adequate financial support if they accomplish the purposes for which they are created. The Texas Council of Safety is no exception. With adequate support, the Council can render a service to humanity that is commensurate with the needs and opportunities that are before us.

SAN ANTONIAN STAYS AWAKE FOR 150 HOURS

San Antonio, Texas, July 9.—Roger O'Mallia, San Antonio realtor, collapsed here Friday at noon after remaining awake for 150 hours. O'Mallia asserted that 141 hours was the previous world record and that his feat sets a new record.

He was taken to his home after his collapse where he is sleeping off the effects of his long wakefulness.

O'Mallia has announced that he would attempt a nonstop, nonsleep drive from San Francisco to New York and return as soon as he recovered from his recent sleepless ordeal.

In Abyssinia, a telephone message must first be written and handed to the operator, who, in turn, shouts it into the transmitter, no one else being permitted to use the instrument.

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A quick breakfast omelet may be made more appetizing with the addition of crushed pineapple. Beat four eggs without separating until they are light; add four tablespoonfuls of water and just a suspicion of salt. Put a tablespoon of butter in an omelet pan; when melted turn in the eggs. Have ready a can of crushed pineapple, and as soon as the omelet is 'set' fold in some pineapple. Turn in a heated dish and pour the remaining pineapple around the omlet as a garnish.

Hard sauce with pineapple makes hot puddings and desserts as tempting in summer as in winter. Beat four tablespoonfuls of butter with one-half cupful of sugar until the mixture is white and light. Add a teaspoonful of vanilla and a cup of crushed Hawaiian pineapple. Mix well and chill before serving. The success of a hard sauce depends upon thorough beating. It should be creamy, light and smooth.

MASONIC RECORDS TO BE BURIED FOR 100 YEARS

Nashville, Tenn.—Nashville Council No. 1, R. & S. M., will have rounded out one hundred years of existence on July 27, 1927. It was resolved to deposit in a copper box a history of the Council for the first one hundred years, which will contain a photograph of every member of the Council. Besides various momentoes of the Craft there will be placed in the box a small quantity of seed, wheat, corn, rye, oats, barley and tobacco sealed airtight with a reuqest that when the box is opened the seeds be planted. The copper box is to be placed in a concrete crypt, three feet square, and two and a half feet below the surface of the earth in the grounds of the Tennessee State Capitol. Immediately after the box has been deposited the extra space will be filled with coal tar and hermetically sealed with concrete. The spot will be marked by a triangular shaft of white concrete, bearing a copper plate. On July 27, 2027, the crypt will be opened by Nashville Council No. 1, if it shall then be in existence; if not, then by the Grand Council of Tennessee.

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Bladder weakness, most folks call it because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is often one of the most simple ailments to overcome. Begin drinking lots of soft water, also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast. Continue this for two or three days. This will help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs, which then act normal again.

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Any breaking out or skin irritation on face, neck or body is overcome quickest by applying Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, nothing has ever been found to take the place of this sulphur preparation that instantly brings ease from the itching, burning and irritation.

Mentho-Sulphur heals eczema right up, leaving the skin clear and smooth. It seldom fails to relieve the torment or disfigurement. A little jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur may be obtained at any drug store.

Seeing a Bit of Texas With the Editor

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The American Smelting and Refining Company has here the largest Custom Smelter in the United States.

Peace Grove

From the viaduct one can follow the general plan of Madero's rebel attack on Juarez on May 8th, 1911, straight down the river, and then at right angles to the river up the streets into the town. Fort Hidalgo, on the Mexican side, can be seen plainly. Peace Grove lies on the Mexican side of the river.

El Camino Real (The King's Highway) founded somewhere in the years from 1536-1570 by Spanairds coming up from Mexico City to the upper reaches of the Rio Grande. Over this road passed the first martyrs to the cause of Christianity in the United States. They were Franciscan priests among them was Padre Rodriguez. With these priests, it is said, came the progenitors of the horses in the western part of the United States.

On this highway in 1583 came the first woman and children to tread western soil, Senora Caslida Sebastiano and her sons, who with her husband, Miguel Sebastiano, were part of Espejo's expedition. This entire tract of country was part of a grant of the Spanish crown to Don Garcia in 1690, on condition that Don Garcia protect his settlers against the Apaches. This Spaniard was the first to mine in the adjacent mountains, and it is said he erected a primitive smelter.

Mt. Robledo is the site of Ft. Robledo, one of the oldest forts in the United States, which was founded in 1690 by the Viceroy of the King of Spain as a protection against the horrors of the adjacent Jornado del Muerto (Journey of Death).

Fort Selden, which is in ruins, was built after the United States took Mexico and was used as an outfitting post in the Geronimo troubles.

Leasburg is a diversion dam of the Elephant Butte irrigation project. There are springs near Leasburg which have strong medical virtues Across the Rio Grande from Leasburg is a large cave as yet unexplored. From this point extends north and south that abomination of desolation the Jornado del Muerto (Journey of Death).

Near Canutillo the refugees, fleeing from the massacre in the north, halted in 1680 to await help from Paso del Norte.

Old Fort Filmore was built before 1860, and used during the War between the States. It is now a ruin on the ranch of Mr. Mundy, north of the road.

At Brazitos was fought the Battle of Brazitos on Christmas Day, 1846, in which Colonel Doniphan and his men defeated the Mexicans from Paso del Norte, thus gaining this country for the United States.

Briefly here is told the story of the progress of El Paso the great and fast growing city of the Western empire of Texas. From the historic places of the old west and the mingled romance of Spanish and Mexican days have sprung up as monuments to a greater civilization, modern buildings, churches, schools and great commercial establishments.

El Paso

Population of 109,000.

Average temperature of 63.5 with average humidity of 40 per cent.

Altitude of 3762.

Rainfall, 9.36 inches.

Average days of sunshine in year, 331.

Railroads—Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Texas and Pacific, Mexico Northwestern, Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, El Paso Southern Railway, National Railways of Mexico.

Ore smelting and refining industry.

Largest wooden box factory in the world.

Cotton mill, 5016 spindle capacity.

One hundred and fifty-four mercantile houses.

Stock raising: amount handled annually $60,000,000 in cattle, sheep, goats, horses, mules and hogs.

Two hundred and nine factories.

Bank deposits approximately $30,000,000.

Bank assets approximately $35,000,000.

One hundred and four miles of paved streets.

Cheapest water in the world.

There are no crop failures in the El Paso valleys.

Five cuttings of alfalfa are obtained yearly.

Cotton averages a 500 pound bale to acre. This is three to four times the national average.

All kinds of fruits and vegetables and grain are grown in El Paso valleys.

El Paso is only 200 miles from one of the largest oil fields in the world.

The soil of the El Paso valley is especially adapted to the growing of flowers for commercial uses. Roses and sweet peas are grown in quantities.

SPAGHETTI

Cheese and Tomato, can	9c
Del Monte Catsup, 16-oz. bottle	16c
IMF Red Cherries, 3-oz. tall bottle	9c
Campbells Soups, 3 for	25c
California Sardines, large can	11c
Maxwell House Tea, 1-2-lb. can	77c
Small California Oranges, dozen	14c
Sunrise Cocoa, 1-2-lb. box	8c
Rub No More Powders, 5 boxes for	16c

ABOVE PRICES GOOD SATURDAY ONLY

Campbells Pork and Beans, 3 cans for	25c
Crystal White or P. and G. Soap, case	$3.75
Quart Fruit Jars, dozen	79c
30x5 Heavy Diamond Cord Tire	$29.85
29x4.40 Blue Label Balloon Cord Tire	$7.92
30x4.95 Blue Label Balloon Cord Tire	$12.59
32x4 Dalton Cord Tire	$9.92
33x4 Dalton Cord Tire	$10.19

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Priday-Black

The following account of the marriage of Miss Audrey Black to Mr. Quintin Maurice Priday, which occurred in Houston July 7th, was taken from the Houston Post-Dispatch.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Black and formerly resided in Cameron, where she graduated from the Cameron High school. She is a very charming young lady, and as a host of friends, who will read with interest of her marriage.

The groom is a brother of Mrs. Jas. L. Coleman of Cameron, and has visited in Cameron on numerous occasions.

The Herald joins friends in wishing for this happy couple a wedded life filled with happiness.

The marriage of Miss Audrey Ross Black and Quintin Maurice Priday took place at a small ceremony Thursday evening, July 7, at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Black, on Rosalie, with only the family and a few close friends attending. Dr. Henderson read the service and the wedding music was given by Miss Mamie Black at the piano and Miss Esther Gidzun, who sang "At Dawning."

The large living room with stairway at one end and the dining room beyond gave a spacious setting for the ceremony and an altar effect was arranged with tall floor baskets of white roses and carnations placed against banks of palms and ferns. In the dining room daisies and roses were used. The bride's table held the three tier wedding cake embossed in pink roses and lilies of the valley. Following the ceremony ices and cakes were served, Miss Betty Black presiding.

The bride entered with her sister, Miss Polly Black, and the groom with his sister, Mrs. James Coleman of Cameron. The bride and both attendants wore colonial frocks of taffeta and organdie, the bride in white and the others in pale pink. They carried shower bouquets of roses and lilies of the valley, those of the attendants having delicate pink rosebuds.

Mr. and Mrs. Priday have gone to New Orleans for a brief visit, after which they will be at home July 20 in Corpus Christi. Mrs. Priday's traveling costume was of dark blue with hat and accessories to match. The out of town guests here for the marriage included Mrs. James Coleman of Cameron, Mrs. Willis of Gregory, the groom's mother, and Miss Estelle Harbin of Corpus Christi.

Appearing before a recent session of the Cantonal Tribunal of St. Gall at Geneva, a tradesman asked a divorce on the sole ground of 'abnormal obesity.' All his savings, he declared, were used to buy food for his wife, who ate as much as four adults. The jury gave a verdict of no cause for action.

Vacation Time Is Here!

Don't risk the slightest chance of enjoying your vacation by lacking sufficient supplies or equipment for the occasion. You can supply every need for your comfort, and have nothing to regret.

Much depends on the preparation you make. Check over your probable needs and you will find that every item may be secured by "Buying Your Supplies in Cameron."

A. & M. College News

Homemaking is the dominant topic of the program for the women's division of the eighteenth annual Farmers' Short Course to be held at the A. and M. College of Texas July 25-30. Various phases of the care and beautifcation of the home, including both physical and spiritual developments, will be discussed by a number of speakers. In addition the program will include talks on other subjects which are expected to be of much interest to the women and of value to them personally and to their families.

Miss Mildred Horton, state home demonstration agent, Extension Service, will be the leader of the women's program which will open July 25 and continue through July 29.

Speakers for the daily sessions and their topics have been announced as follows: M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer, Extension Service, "Building a Home," (sanitary and engineering problems); Miss Mary Starr Taylor, home economics, University of Texas, "Building a Home," (making it the family center); Mrs. E. B. Beckham, Texas Power and Light Co., Dallas, "Bringing Electricity to the Home"; Miss Bess Edwards, assistant state home demonstration agent, 'Music in the home;" Dr. W. L. Austin, Dallas, president Southern Association of Chiropodists, on care of the feet, proper shoes, correct posture, and the like; Miss Susan Landon, educational director Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, Dallas, "Farm and Home Life in Denmark."

Mrs. L. P. Chamberlain, head home economics department, John Tarleton Agricultural College, will speak on "How to enjoy pictures;" Mrs. Elizabeth Temple, supervisor home economics, St. Louis-San Francisco Ry., Springfield Mo., "Attractive rugs and how to make them;' Miss Mildred Horton, "Marketing;" R. E. Watson, Chicago, "Making Old fabrics new;" Dr. Jessie Whiteacre, chief division rural home research ,Experiment Station, "Educating the Appetite;" Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs, educational secretary, Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent Teachers Associations, Austin, "Training Women for Organization;" Mrs. C. D. Kelley, state chairman American citizenship, Texas Federation of Women's club, "The Federation Plan for Better Equipped Homes."

Awarding of the Improved Kitchen Contest prizes will be made at morning meeting July 27 by DeWitt McMurray, editor Semi-Weekly Farm News, Dallas. Mrs. Bernice Clayton, Home Department specialist, Extension Service, will preside over this program. Butter judging contest will be held that afternoon at the A. and M. Creamery, Miss Lola Blair, home economic specialist, Extension Service in charge.

The Texas Home Demonstration Association, for women enrolled in home demonstration clubs throughout the state, will hold its second annual meeting July 25, the opening day of the Short Course. Mrs. F. H. Parks, Ferrin, president of the Ass'n., will be assisted by Miss Bess Edwards, asst. State home demonstration agent. This association has given a college scholarship for Texas home demonstration club girl and Golden Evans, Harrison County, this year's winner will attend the Short Course and make a report to the Association on the work she has done. She will enter college this fall.

Tapioca is a product of tapioca flour, which comes from the root of cassava, a tropical plant similar to our sweet potato plant. Most of our supply is imported from Java.

Attired in a military jacket and waving a white baton, a woman recently stepped in the center of a crowded Paris boulevard, ordering all vehicles to stop immediately. Attracted by the unusual traffic jam, police hurried to the rescue. The self appointed cop calmly explained, 'I read in the papers that women soon will be taken on the police force and I thought I would get some practice.'

Although the printed calendar or almanac was produced on the Continent in 1472, it was not until 1497 that the first one in English appeared. Like our present almanacs, the dates and divisions of the year were freely interspersed with prophecies and astronomical predictions.

The mother of Hume, the historian, considered him weak minded as a youth.

Contrary to the common impression, most actual villians are not tall, dark men, says Francis Carlin, a one-time famous Scotland Yard detective. Records of the Yard show that 76 per cent of the criminals convicted are blonds, usually tall.

TRUETT TO LEAD BAPTIST FORCES

Dallas Pastor Is Unanimous Choice of Southern Convention for President This Year

PROGRESS IS REPORTED

Promotional Work of Convention Continued With Slight Revision in Personnel—Large Objective Set

Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas, one of the best known Baptists in the world, was the unanimous choice of the Southern Baptist Convention for president at the recent session at Louisville, and he entered upon his new relationship by challenging the people and churches of his denomination to a deeper spirituality and a fuller consecration to the task of extending God's kingdom in the world.

Despite the fact that the floods in the Mississippi Valley curtailed the year's collections somewhat and the civil war in China halted the operations of the Foreign Mission Board

DR. GEO. W. TRUETT
New President Southern Baptist Convention

there during much of the year, reports that were gratifying to a large degree were presented by the various agencies and institutions of the Convention.

Missionaries Do Effective Work

The Foreign Mission Board reported 531 American missionaries and 2,644 native helpers in its employ. A total of 12,085 baptisms were had on the foreign fields during the year. Today the Board reports 1,215 churches with 140,488 members and 1,818 Sunday schools with 76,991 pupils on the foreign fields, along with 3,247 preaching stations other than churches, and nine hospitals in which 69,583 patients were treated during the year. The Foreign Mission Board believes order will be restored in China soon and that larger mission opportunities than have ever existed before will soon be presented there.

By the Home Mission Board 923 missionaries were employed during the year. These reported 36,233 additions to the churches, the organization of 168 new churches and 406 new Sunday schools, and the building or repair of 278 houses of worship.

From its current receipts of $1,806,416.27, the Sunday School Board was able to put $444,028.41 into general denominational work, while its Educational Department reported 103,145 teacher training awards given to Sunday school workers, and the Architectural Department gave assistance to 1,476 churches in planning their buildings.

Aid in the sum of $156,252.07 was given to aged or disabled preachers, or dependent members of their families by the Relief and Annuity Board, the total number of beneficiaries carried by the Board now being 1,145.

The promotional work of the Convention for the support of its missionary, educational and benevolent interests was continued, though under the direction of a somewhat different and enlarged personnel. Members of the new executive committee will represent the several states on the promotional body; the state and general secretaries are retained as before; while the editors of the several Baptist state papers are added to this group this year. The total financial objective set by the several states for 1927 is $8,096,666, and if this amount is realized in distributable cash it will net approximately $3,887,000 for the various objects of the Southern Baptist Convention, the remainder going to the various state enterprises of the denomination. Every effort will be put forth to attain this total objective.

Expenses Will Be Controlled

In an effort to bring the fiscal affairs of the Convention into better shape, the Convention voted to establish the policy of budget control, whereby each board and agency of the Convention will be required to bring its expenditures each year within its cash receipts, thus preventing the accumulation of debts.

Indicating the progress in the several churches during the past associational year, the report of the Statistical Department shows 26,003 white Southern Baptist churches with a total of 3,708,253 members; 21,777 Sunday schools with 2,724,367 pupils; 19,775 B. Y. P. U's, with 498,426 members; 21,660 W. M. U. organizations which made contributions in the sum of $4,149,383.59; local church property with a valuation of $184,719,387, and total contributions for the year to all objects in the sum of $40,106,852.31.